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Harvest of Good Wheat Crop Speeds

AVERAGE YIELD FOR AREA IS 12 BUSHELS PER ACRE—TWO CENT PRICE RISE TABBED

Wheat harvest was beginning to hit its stride middle of this week in the Hamlin area as combines were humming in every direction from this Northwest Jones County metropolis. With clear skies for the past several days, the dark greens of the wheat fields were turning to tans and browns, meaning that the grain was getting ready for the sickles.

About 15 cars of wheat had been shipped by the four major buyers when The Herald went to press at noon Thursday.

Price of this year's grain advanced two cents from last week's quotation, making No. 1 grain bring $1.72 on the Hamlin market. Grades were holding up much better than was expected several days ago, practically everything that has been brought in easily passing the No. 1 standard. In fact, a number of loads of wheat has graded 64 pounds per bushel with a low moisture content of 9½ per cent.

Yield of the wheat continues to show up considerably above estimates made even two weeks ago following the first rains for the area. Average per acre yields are around 12 bushels. Some fields are yielding as high as 20 bushels per acre.

Observers still believe that a crop of around 245 cars will be made from this year's wheat crop.

Sweetwater Woman Enters Congress Field To Make Eight in Race

There cannot be more than eight candidates for Congress from the 17th District this year. Deadline for filing by candidates closed Monday night.

Just a few hours before the deadline the first woman ever to file for a congressional office from this district was the eighth to enter the running. She is Mrs. Nina J. Headrick of Sweetwater.

Gib Sandefer of Breckenridge was No. 7 to enter the race. He filed for a place on the ballot last Saturday.

Representative Sam Russell of Stephenville, incumbent, is not seeking reelection. Besides Mrs. Headrick and Sandefer, others previously announced are: Robert B. Herring of Breckenridge, Ted Miles of Stamford, William W. Blanton of Albany, Bob Wagstaff of Abilene, Omar Burleson of Anson and Bryan Bradbury of Abilene.

Woody and Buddy Scott Buy Panhandle Station

Woody and Buddy Scott this week became owners of the Panhandle Service Station operated for some time by Aubrey Miller, south of the Santa Fe depot.

The concern will be known as the Scott Brothers Service Station. The new owners will continue to handle Panhandle petroleum products and a complete line of popular brands of motor oils.



DIDN'T GET AWAY!

Don Neill of Flat Top is the "champeen" fisherman for this season and for all time as far as bass caught out of Hamlin lakes are concerned!

Fishing at the Moore Lake, two miles west of Hamlin Friday, with an artificial fly on his line as an appetizer, Neill landed a bass that tipped the scales at nine pounds four ounces.

Record bass catch in the Hamlin lakes had previously been held by B. B. Caldwell of Hamlin, who eight years ago landed a bass that weighed nine pounds two ounces.

Neill, recently discharged from the Navy after eight years of service, has made a number of other nice catches this season.

BUDDY POPPIES TO BE SOLD IN HAMLIN BY VFW SALESMEN

Saturday will mark the opening sales of Buddy Poppies in Hamlin, when two dozen women and girls will be on the streets pinning the little red flowers on coat lapels and shirts and dresses that will be reminders that the less fortunate veterans of war are not being forgotten.

This is the announcement that comes from W. A. Cassle, chairman of the poppy sales that are being sponsored by the Hamlin post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Sales forces will be on the streets of the city all day Saturday. Distribution of the poppies will continue all nxt week, about an hour and a half each morning and two hours each afternoon being devoted to the sales.

Funds derived from contributions made when the poppies are sold will be used for the aid, relief and comfort of needy veterans and of men serving with the armed forces, their dependents, widows or orphans; for maintenance and expansion of the VFW National Home for orphans of veterans; hospital or individual assistance and entertainment for needy veteran and service patients and their dependents; rehabilitation, welfare and service work, including Veterans Administration laison service; necessary expenses for military funerals for deceased ex-service men; and acquisition, improvement and maintenance of burial plots and decoration of graves of veterans and service men.

VFW women who will help with the buddy poppy sales are: Mrs. B. A. Shaffer, chairman; Mrs. Lovell Stell, Mrs. William H. Burnett, Mrs. J. C. Turner Jr., Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., Mrs. Charlie N. Prater. Mrs. William E. Shira, Mrs. Harold D. Wheat, Mrs. Dean Witt, Mrs. W. L. Boyd Jr. and Mrs. Charles C. Gardner.

High school girls who will assist with sales are: Verlene Stewart, Jo Hargrove, Elma Ree Brewer, Beverly Harvey, Suzanne Toler, Wanda Jean Mayfield, Jerita Durham, Jeannette Bevels, Lupe Cave, Nozik Hassen, Betty Jane Barry, Margaret Ryan and Naomi Young.

Rural Life Sunday to Be Observed May 26 By Club Boys and Girls

Emphasizing the meaning of Christianity in rural life, 4-H Club Sunday or National Rural Life Sunday will be observed in most Texas counties May 26, according to an announcement by Hannah Nabors, Jones County home demonstration agent.

Purposes of such an observance are varied, reports Miss Nabors. It is designed to provide religious emphasis which will develop the heart and character of 4-H Club boys and girls. It will attempt to better develop an appreciation of opportunities within our country. It will attempt also to acquaint 4-H Club members with the closeness of rural life and nature to spiritual things.

Special services will be held in some places, and 4-H Club boys and girls will participate in various ways in church services throughout the country.

Deep Test at Neinda May Prove Strata

SNOWDEN 4,000-FOOT WELL TO BE 1,000 FEET BELOW OIL PRODUCTION IN AREA

The Hamlin section continued to play a leading role in oil developments for this region this week. One well was setting casing just above what is expected to be production; derrick for a new well was being erected; and application for another new well had been filed. All three of these operations were by the H. W. Snowden interests.

Snowden was setting casing on the Carroll tract in their No. 2 well at the 2,900-foot level. Most wells in the area have been carried to about 3,000 feet. The well probably will be drilled in next week.

Derrick was being erected this week by Snowden on the John R. Brown tract. The well, to be spudded probably next week, will be a north offset to the discovery well in the Neinda community, south of Hamlin.

H. W. Snowden et al has filed application for the No. 1 G. W. Poe well, a 4,000-foot test located 467 feet from the south and west lines of Subdivision 1 Block 358 Goliad County School Land Survey. This will probe 1,000 feet deeper than the average well depth for the area, and may give indications for further explorations at the greater depth.

Leases over the Hamlin section continued to find a ready market, with acreage blockers, which indicates that operators are confident of good production hereabouts.

Doyle Jones Back with Discharge from Pacific

Sergeant Doyle Jones arrived in Hamlin Tuesday morning with a discharge from Uncle Sam's Army. He is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Jones, who live south of town.

In the Army for 23 months, Jones served with the military police division in the Pacific area. He followed the advance of American forces from the Philippines into Japan. He will leave June 5 for San Diego, California, for a visit and possible employment.

Tom Hawley Dies in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Mary Leonard received word last Friday that her brother, Tom Hawley, 86, of Blackwell, Oklahoma, had passed away. She was unable to attend the funeral services because of illness.

MORRIS POINTS TO THREE VIRTUES FOR SUCCESSFUL LIVING

Three basic virtues—honesty, respect for elders and reverence for God—were named as necessary to successful, happy living by Don Morris, president of Abilene Christian College, when he spoke to the Hamlin High School graduating class Sunday evening in baccalaureate services in the high school auditorium. A filled auditorium of attendants gave rapt attention to the 16-minute oration by the imminent Abilene educator.

Morris urged the young men and woman of the 1946 senior class to practice these three tenets in their daily living. If adhered to by the peoples of the world he said, most of our ills will be solved. People will get along with one another as individuals and as nations.

EIGHT GRADUATES TO GET DIPLOMAS AT McCAULLEY RITE

Eight graduates of McCaulley High School will receive their diplomas in commencement exercises Friday evening, 8:30 o'clock, in the McCaulley High School auditorium, it was announced this week by Superintendent W. W. Webb.

Molly Sue Brewer, with a year's average grad of 96.9, is valedictorian of the class; and Geneva Carter, with an average grade of 96.1 for the term, is salutatorian. Other members of the group are Gerald Berry, John Carter, Robert Hicks, Patsy Reed, Betty Lou Sanders and Johnny Wayne Waldrop.

Complete program for the Friday evening exercises follows: Processional, Mrs. Luther Rector; invocation, Rev. W. F. Richardson; welcome, John Carter; class president's address, Robert Hicks; class history, Gerald Berry; class prophecy, Patsy Reed; class will, Betty Lou Sanders; valedictory, Sue Brewer; farewell, Johnny W. Waldrop; presentation of diplomas and awards, Superintendent W. W. Webb; benediction, Rev. C. E. Dick; recessional, Mrs. Luther Rector.

Dr. A. G. Collins, New Physician, Locates Here

A new physician and surgeon, Dr. A. G. Collins, located last week in Hamlin, and is doing general practice. He has offices with Dr. W. J. McCrary, just off Central Avenue on the Rotan highway.

With general practice of 26 years behind him, Dr. Collins came to Hamlin from New Boston, near Texarkana. His wife has moved here with him to make their home.

FIRST PUBLIC MEETING TO TALK HOSPITAL FOR HAMLIN CALLED SUNDAY AFTERNOON

First public meeting of Hamlin area people called to discuss the proposed Hamlin Memorial Hospital has been called for Sunday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock at the high school auditorium. Several important points immediately pressing before final steps for contract for the hospital construction will come before the assembly, according to officials of the hospital association.

Officials not only desire the presence of those who have signed up for the building fund, but especially invite everyone interested in seeing Hamlin and the wide area about this community have a modern hospital. Presence of a large number of persons, both men and women, to discuss hospital questions, association leaders state, will encourage those who are striving to get things in shape for building construction at the earliest possible date.

A hospital association official declared: "Building a hospital from "scratch" is an unusual undertaking. It is not like any other project. This is all the more true since the Hamlin area people are proceeding on lines all on their own financing and planning. It is important that every step taken be based on sound and workable footings. The building that is about to be started is just a start toward a far larger hospital to meet the demands of the area covering many miles about Hamlin. Don't forget to attend the Sunday afternoon meeting. The board especially invites those who have not signed up as members."

Additional new members taking their $50 investment in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association are made public this week. They are: G. R. Bennett, W. B. Boyd, Herbert Bernshausen, W. R. Carter, Mrs. Anna Mae Childress, E. W. Cox, Haskell Carter, A. A. Callaway, W. B. Cotten, C. R. Crowley, Judge L. Crow, T. F. Campbell, Mrs. J. W. Ezell, Mrs. Ross Fomby, B. H. Gardner, R. B. Green, T. C. Gregory, Paul Galey, D. J. Herbst, J. T. Hart, H. Hester, C. W. Hilterbrand, H. A. Hinkle, I. R. Huchingson;

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Tax for Hospital at At Anson Opposed

WANT MORE TAXES?

Stamford's two newspapers, like The Herald, have been publishing articles for the past several weeks concerning the proposed county-wide hospital for Anson. Last week's Stamford Leader, published by George Inglish, had this to say editorially:

Of course, if the majority of voters say a county hospital, with added taxes for all hands to pay—even to the Stamford and Hamlin hospitals that they own or are to own—who can say a word?

But, if it goes over, which is so doubtful by even the most sanguine when the proposal was launched, let's not have somebody who voted for it come around and say: "Why in the blankety-blank-blank don't you newspapers do something about this everlasting increase of taxes that we people have to pay?" Remember, "consistency, thou art a jewel!"

INTEREST IN ELECTION JUNE 1 MOUNTS AS BOND ISSUE ON COUNTY COMPREHENDED

Interest was mounting in Hamlin this week in the bond election called for Saturday, June 1, for the purpose of deciding if bonds in amount of $200,000 will be voted in Jones County for a proposed county hospital and health center..

And that interest was decidedly almost unanimous against voting of the bonds, according to a survey made by publisher of The Herald and by talking to others who have made contacts with area citizens concerning the proposed bond issue.

Sponsored primarily by Anson citizens, and backed by paid advertising in Jones County newspapers this week over the signature of the Anson Lions Club, the proposed hospital is opposed for various reasons by Hamlin citizens. This same opposition is reflected also in Stamford almost universally, according to publishers of the two Stamford papers.

Principal reaction of citizens outside Anson to the proposed issuing of bonds and levying of taxes to pay for the project is based upon the contention that such a hospital, to be located at Anson, would not properly serve the people of other sections of the county outside of Hamlin, hence all the people should not be taxed to build the hospital in Anson. Hamlin and Stamford citizens reason that if Anson wants a hospital, it should vote city bonds or use some other method of securing the institution.

Stamford has her own hospital, and Hamlin is scheduled to let contract next month for a 34-room hospital, plans for which are now in the hands of architects for corrections.

Typical reactions of a few Hamlin citizens are given below:

Starr Inzer: "No, sir, we would be idiots to vote for the Anson proposition. We had as well go to Abilene or some other place as to Anson. But we want a hospital of our own, and are going to build us one without asking the rest of the county to help us foot the bill."

Art Carmichael: "We already have a good hospital at Stamford; we have one at Rotan; we have others fairly close—but these do not answer our needs. Neither would another one at Anson. We want a hospital all our own, and are willing and ready to pay for it ourselves. Why can't Anson build her own hospital if she needs and wants one?"

Haskell O. Carter: "I wouldn't vote for a county bond issue to build a hospital in Hamlin. They just are not economically sound because they are political institutions, not operated to make their own way in many instances."

THREE HAMLIN LADS NAMED DELEGATES TO BOYS' STATE

Three Hamlin High School boys last week were named by school officials as participants in the Boys' State, supervised model state government program at Austin. The special week's observance at the state capitol will be from June 8 to 15.

Named were Brad Rowland, Doyle Dean and Joe Clements.

Sponsored by the American Legion posts of Texas, the annual celebration is designed to familiarize coming citizens of the state with operation of their state govrnment in on-the-scene action.

Full staff of state officials is to be named by the group of several hundred Texas boys when they congregate at the capitol. All offices, from governor on down, will be filled by the boys, and they will serve in the official capacities for the week. Sessions of the Senate and Legislature will be conducted by the boys.

Expenses for the trip to Austin are being paid by local institutions. Hamlin post of the American Legion is paying expenses of one boy, and Hamlin Lions Club is paying those of the other two.

Dallas Evangelist Will Lead Methodist Crusade

Rev. Robert J. Kennedy, evangelist and singer of Dallas, will lead in a revival crusade at the Hamlin First Methodist Church beginning June 5, it was announced this week by congregation leaders. The series of services is scheduled to continue through June 16, according to Rev. E. L. Yeats, local pastor.

Long-time pastor of several large churches in Texas, Rev. Kennedy is an outstanding speaker and singer, denominational leaders declare. The public is invited to attend the services, which are slated at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. each day.

New Store Building for Simpson's Shaping Up

Workmen were this week putting up walls on the new store building for Simpson's Grocery, four blocks north of the highway intersection. Work on the 45 by 65 foot structure is expected to be completed by about July 1, Mrs. Joe Simpson, co-owner, stated this week.

Constructed mainly of clay tile and stucco, the new building will be modern, with a plate glass front facing Central Avenue. Roy Flowers is contractor for the project.

New walk-in meat case, air conditioners, added shelving, new fluorescent lighting and a new neon sign are included as improvements for the new building.

HAMLIN BASEBALL TEAM TRIMS ROSCOE NINE SUNDAY 34-6

Hamlin's independent baseball nine converted the Roscoe ball park into a race track Sunday afternoon when they trounced the Nolan County boys to the tune of 34 to 6.

The local boys were said to be "in the groove," and they got hits regularly and often that pushed their teammates across the platter all afternoon. Oniy three homeruns were chalked up in all that scoring.

Roscoe used four pitchers trying to stop the Hamlin baseballers. Two tossers hurled the game for the independents. Twenty-six hits were garnered off the Roscoe offerings.

Starting line-up for the Hamlin nine looked like this: Sharp, catcher; Miles, pitcher; Rowland, first base; Weaver, second base; Barnett, third base; Holland, shortstop; Howard, left field; Ford, center field; and Locke and Mitchell, right field.

The locals will meet a strong team at Lawn Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, officials of the team told The Herald Wednesday. The group will leave Hamlin at 1:00 o'clock. Baseball backers are asked to follow the team to Lawn, south of Abilene.

WOMEN IN THE NEWS

New Officers Installed By Junior Literary Club

Junior Literary Club met in the home of Betty Lou Ferguson last Friday for the last meeting of the year. The meeting was called to order by the retiring president, Diane Carlton, nad minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. G. R. Bennett, club sponsor for the coming year, installed incoming officers. The installation ceremony was carried by the formation of a diamond on a flannel board by each of the officers of the club, the club members and the sponsors, Mrs. G. R. Bennett and Mrs. John Walton.

Club officers for the coming year are: Shirley Baggett, president; Jo Hargrove, recording secretary; Verlene Stewart, corresponding secretary; Betty Lou Ferguson, first vice president; Joyce Barnett, second vice president; and Wanda Ford, historian.

The meeting was adjourned after a farewell message to the club from Mrs. O. D. Roland, club sponsor for the past year, and from the retiring president, Diane Carlton, in behalf of the senior members of the club.

After the meeting delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Piano Pupils Presented In Recital by Mrs. Baker

Piano pupils of Mrs. L. B. Baker were presented in recital Tuesday evening in the Hamlin High School auditorium. Following is the complete program:

"At Sunday School" by Arnold and "Soldiers at Play" by Stairs, Royland Flowers; "Summer and Winter" by Groton, Bobby Clay Jones; "Dreamy-time Song" by Munn, Angela Malouf; "The Kings' Review" by King, Laura Courtney, Wanda Jean Treadwell and James Eddie Jay; "Water Spirits" by Fletcher, Norma Jo Murff; "Cedar Brook Waltz" by Perry, Jonelle Maberry; "The Big Bass Singer" by Rolfe, Almeta Niedecken; "Sparkling Eyes" by Anthony, Barbara Kay Flowers; "Waltz Op. 33" by Wright, Bennie Elkins; "Prince Imperial Gallop" by Coote, Doris Rogers and Patsy Brown;

"Memories" by Bixby, Elizabeth Ann White; "Arrival of Brownies" by Anthony, Carl Travis Young; "The Band Is Coming" by Copeland, Ethyl Sue Dnton; "Dancing in the Sunbeams" by Butler, Faith Simpson; "Narcissus" by Nevin, Frankie Sue Madden; "Adieu to the Piano" by Beethoven, Doris Rogers; "Waltz in Old Vienna" by King, Eleanor Huchingson; "The Wedding of Jack and Jill" by Coote, Carl Travis Young and Faith Simpson; "Swaying Daffodils" by Overlade, Laura Courtney; "Valse Miniature" by Montague, Rose Brady; "On a Bright Blue Sea" by Stevens, Patsy Brown; "Tarentelle" by Denee, Kraigolyn Bessire; "Edelwiess Glide" by Vanderbeck, Wanda Jean Treadwell; "On the Magic Lake" by Crawford, James Eddie Jay; "Valse Caprice" by Newland, Jaunice Young; "Polka des Polkas" by Wallace, Elaine Kite; "In the Procession" by Hewitt, Elaine Kite Jaunice Young, Frankie Sue Madden and Kraigolyn Bessire.

Ushers for the program were Jo Hargrove, Donna Gail Miller, Oleta Kite and Verlene Stewart.

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McCaulley Women Study Window Trims

In the Fred Hemphill last Wednesday afternoon the McCaulley Home Demonstration Club enjoyed an interesting program on "Window Treatment" directed by Mrs. Glen Henderson. Many beautiful designs for draperies were shown. Mrs. Hemphill had very attractive drapes for her windows made from German parachute nylon.

As a surprise each woman present presented the hostess a gift to help make her happy in her new home in South Hamlin.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to Mmes. L. B. Maberry, Ted Abbott, W. M. Fancher, Roscoe Perryman, C. A. McHone, Milo Gray, Horace Barton, Joe Miers, W. Hemphill, Glen Henderson, Ray Maberry, Dick Maberry, Fred Hemphill, Hallie R. McFatter.—Rporter.

Martin D. Carlton to Marry Rotan Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morrow of Rotan are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Neva Ruth, to Marvin D. Carlton, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Carlton of Hamlin.

Vows will be read in the First Baptist Church at Rotan on Friday, June 21, at 8:30 o'clock p. m.

Bits of News About Your Friends

Pearl Hudson is in the Dallas markets this week for Bryant-Link Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shira spent Sunday at Lubbock visiting with his sister, Gerry Shira.

Mrs. J. E. Roberson of Marshall is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Pickron Sr.

Mrs. A. L. Lewis and daughter, Bonnie, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Lewis in the Flat Top community.

Mrs. William Heiter of St. Louis, Missouri, has been a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Lewis at Celotex.

Mrs. Carlton Parks and son, James, of Sweetwater spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. L. S. Magee, and with Mrs. Milton Smith in Hamlin.

W. M. Johnson and family of Borger, former Hamlin community residents, were week-end guests in the parents of Mrs. Johnson, and with other relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. D. Farrow and niece, Mrs. Carl Blass of Meadsville, Pennsylvania, are visiting Mrs. Farrow's aunt, Mrs. J. D. Farrow, and other relatives and friends at Hamlin.

Mrs. Tom Routh returned last week from Ballinger, where she visited her daughter, Dorothy Fern, who is teacher of public school music in the schools of Ballinger. She also attended a spring concert presented by the High School Chorus under the direction of iss Routh.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. N. E. Stewart on Mother's Day were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Banner and baby of Benson, Arizona, her grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boiles of Stamford, Mrs. High and Mr. Free of Abilene and her granddaughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin S. Stewart, and baby of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Spaulding and sons, Rodney and Bobby, of Odessa spent the week-end in the J. D. Rountree home.

Mrs. J. H. Windle of Granite, Oklahoma, is here visiting with her daughter, Mrs. L. H. McBride, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gray of Georgetown are spending the week in the city. They were at one time residents of this community, and they like to come west occasionally, where they can enjoy the fresh air and sunshine of West Texas. Mr. Gray owns quite a bit of farm land in the Flat Top community.

Business Women's Class In Session May 13

May Gay and Elsie Withers were hostesses last Monday to the business women's Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church. This was the regular monthly business and social meeting.

Present for the jolly occasion were Mrs. Ross Fomby, Mrs. Vera Nobles, Margueritte Nobles, Mrs. Ruby McMahon, Nettie Bowen, Florene Cornett, Mrs. Austin Poe, Elsie Withers and May Gay.—Reporter.

Billy Faye Rountree Gets McMurry Degree

Billy Faye Rountree, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rountree of Hamlin, was among the 51 members of the graduating class of McMurry College, Abilene, who received degrees Tuesday morning in commencement exercises at the college. She received a bachelor of science degree.

Dr. O. Q. Smith, president of the University of Oklahoma, was the commencement speaker at the final ceremonies. He also received an honorary degree from the school, as did Editor Frank Grimes of the Abilene Reporter-News.

Charles Lynn Brewer of McCamey is visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Travis.

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Camp Fire Girls Go To Lueders Camp

Two groups of Hamlin Camp Fire Girls left Thursday for Lueders to attend the first session of the annual summer camp for girls of this region.

Two other groups of older girls will go to the camp for the June 9 to 15 session.

Mrs. L. C. Denton and Mrs. G. R. Bennett, sponsors, went with the Princess Blue Birds of the third and fourth grades. The girls were Jo Nelle Maberry, Patricia Bennett, Marilyn Fletcher, Margaret Helen Chandler, Ethyl Sue Denton, Dorothy Louise Sneed, Barbara Ann Durham, Lula Janette Higdon, Marian Moran and Quata Jean Miller.

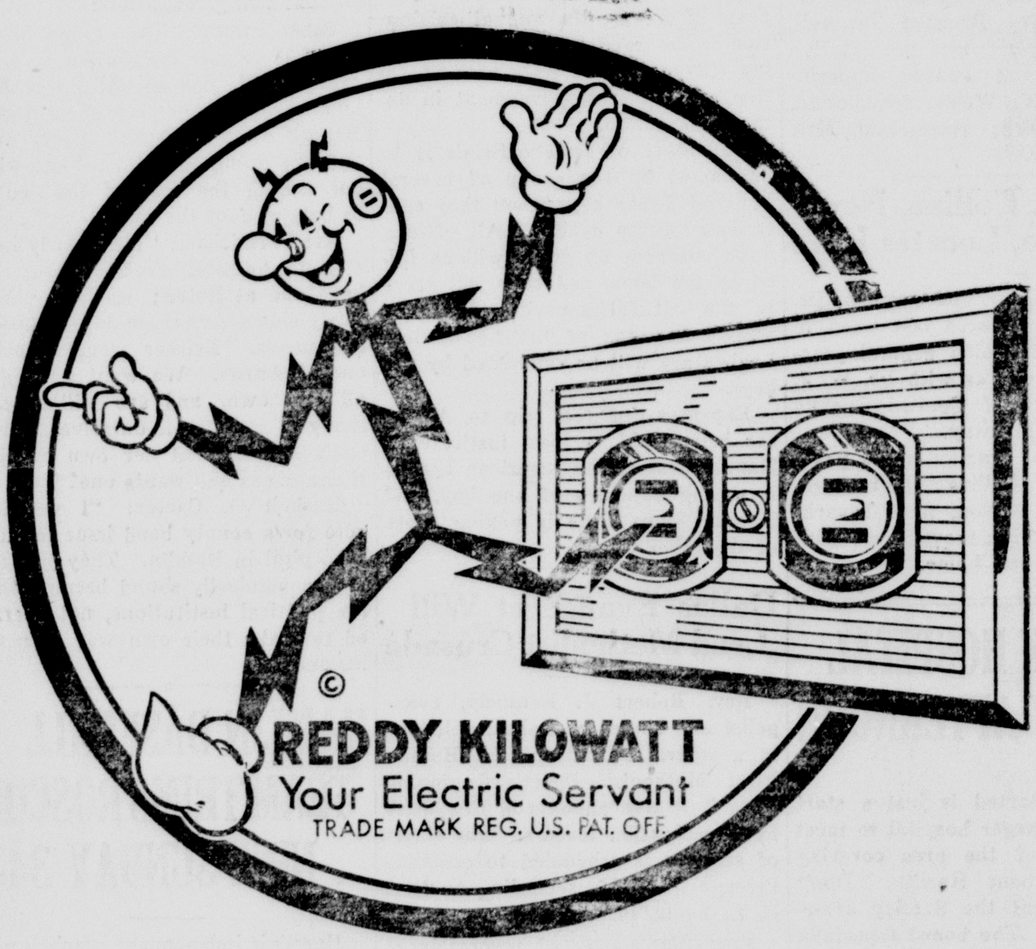
The Fairy Blue Birds group of the second grade were accompanied by Mrs. O. D. Roland, sponsor. Of this group Martha Ann Bunkley, Roylyn Flowers and Reba Faye Roland made the trip.

The girls were to arrive at the encampment grounds at 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon. They will return home next Tuesday evening.

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HOBBY SHOW SET JUNE 1 AT ANSON BY CLUB COUNCIL

A hobby show will be held in the basement of the courthouse in Anson Saturday, June 1, under supervisor of oJnes County Home Demonstration Council.

All persons in the county who have hobbies which they would like to enter are urged to bring them to this show. The displays must be completed before 10:30 a. m. June 1, states Hannah Nabors, county home demonstration agent, for the judging will start at that time. First, second and third places in the various divisions will be recognized only with ribbons.

Tea will be served by the Jones County Home Demonstration Council to all who call between 2:30 and 4:30 p. m. The exhibit will be open to the public from 1:00 to 4:30 p. m. Although the show is sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club women of the county, it is hoped that boys, girls, men and women outside club groups will be represented both by entries and as visitors to the show.

Entries in the show which are expected are as follows: Collections such as vases, stamps, cards, etc; art and handicraft, including pictures, leather, metal or woodwork of various kinds; flower arrangements; foods; clothing of all kinds; house furnishings, including items such as quilts, bedspreads, curtains, linens, etc. Other subjects not listed here may be included, and everyone who has an interesting hobby that can be displayed is urged to make it known by bringing it to the hobby show, the sponsors urge.

THESE GIRLS TOPPED ELEMENTARY GRADS





These two young ladies have been outstanding in scholastic work in the graduating class of Hamlin Elementary School during the term that closes this week. The class of 20 graduates into high school are slated to receive their certificates Friday evening at the high school auditorium. Donna Gayle Miller, left, earned the valedictory toga by making an average grade of 95 during the year. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Miller. Lavon Stewart, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stewart, is salutatirian by virtue of having made an average grade of 93 during the 1945-46 school term.

Moss Killed in Moore Lake.

Moss in the Moore Lake, which presents hazards to casting, has cleared up considerably in recent days, Cobble explains, since application of 1,800 pounds of blue stone in the lake's waters. The blue stone kills the moss and causes it to sink to the bottom of the lake.

Many a man didn't have a rag on his back when he got married, but does now.

Hugh Frank Jeffrey Marries in Oregon

In a double ring ceremony read at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon on May 5, Carol Dean Park, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence W. Park of Corvallis, Oregon, became the bride of Hugh Frank Jeffrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jeffrey Sr. of Sylvester. The couple took their vows in the Baptist Church before an altar banked with dogwood and tapers in tall candelabra.

Mrs. Charles Rasholt was at the organ and played a program of wedding music. She accompanied Phyllis McCormack as she sang "Through the Years" and "All for You," and Norman Park, brother of the bride, as he sang "I Love You Truly."

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a beautiful gown with eyelet embroidered blouse with crepe skirt over white satin with sweetheart neckline and long sleeves. Her finger-tip tulle veil was edged with lace and gathered into a soft cap of tulle and lace. She wore a single strand of pearls. Her flowers were white lilies and carnations with white satin ties.

Her matron-of-honor was Mrs. Chester Dyer, who was dressed in orchid over satin and carried a bouquet of pink carnations and rosebuds. The bride's maids were Bettye White, in a yellow organdy gown, and Mrs. John Hawkinson, in a blue gown. The three attendants wore matching tiny caps.

Richard G. Atwood, cousin of the bride, attended Mr. Jeffrey as best man. Ushers were Chester Dyer and Douglas Brown.

Mrs. Parks, mother of the bride, wore a light blue wool suit with black accessories and straw hat. She wore a corsage of pink rosebuds.

A reception was held in the church following the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey left for a brief wedding trip to the Oregon coast. They are at home on Brook Lane, and will complete the college year at Oregon State College, where they are seniors.

Mrs. Jeffrey was graduated from Corvallis High School and took nurse training in Portland.

Mr. Jeffrey attended Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene before entering the armed service. He was discharged several months ago after duty in the Pacific area.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey plan to spend the summer in Texas.

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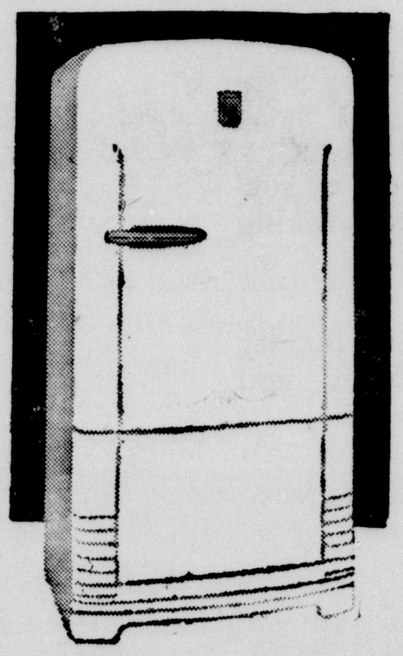
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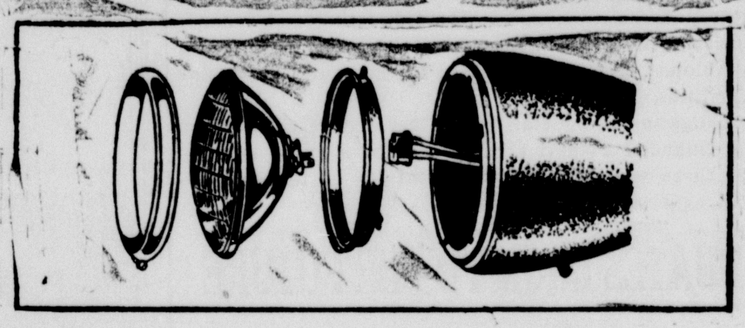
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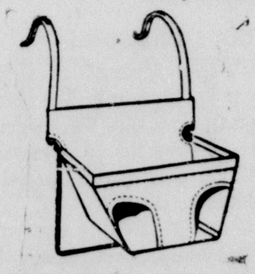
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THEY CANNOT KEEP THEIR PREMISES

Hundreds of people live in a certain city not far away from Hamlin—really a suburb of our town—who are helpless to maintain their own premises. They are those who have answered the Grim Reaper's call, and have moved their place of abode to the silent city of the dead.

Those of us who are left are charged with the responsibility of keeping their hallowed resting place clean and restful looking. If the grief in their passing is sincere, and we miss them as we indicate, then our remembering them and what they meant to us canfittingly be demonstrated in seeing that those graves and grounds are properly maintained.

The Hamlin Cemetery Association, under whose directing maintenance of the Hamlin cemeteries rests, sorely needs funds to properly care for the grounds already developed, as well as provide for necessary expansion of present cemetery facilities.

It is no more the obligation of officials of the association to look you up and plead for your financial support than it is your duty to look up the officials. In fact, those who have served faithfully in the unit deserve our backing in an aggressive sort of way.

OUR GRADUATES LOOK TO THE FUTURE

The next two or three weeks will witness the graduation of scores of young men and women from the high schools of the section, and the young citizens will face new opportunities and new problems.

Have you ever wondered why graduation exercises are called commencement? In reality graduation is the climax to many years of hard work in school rooms for the graduates—but, on the other hand, it is the commencement of a new phase of life for them. The young men and women commence to put into practice the tenets they have learned in the class rooms. They will have opportunity to use their mathematics in every-day figuring of costs and profits and other evaluations; they will use their grammar and spelling in letter writing, business forms and the like; the home economics student will cook and sew in a home of her own.

No matter what the future holds for the graduate, much of the success he or she attains is dependent on the intelligent use of knowledge, a persevering spirit and varying degrees of resourcefulness. Attributes of fair play gained on the athletic field will help the student play the game of life better.

HONOR THE DEAD—HELP THE LIVING

Wear a Buddy Poppy on Memorial Day. Be counted among those who believe that practical and sympathetic assistance for the living—rather than imposing monuments—is the finest way to honor the vivid memory of America's hero dead.

The above paragraph has been advanced by the Hamlin Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars as preface for the first annual sale of buddy poppies, as part of the national drive for funds to assist in veteran welfare and rehabilitation, and to the care and protection of homeless orphans of veterans. The drive will be opened in Hamlin this week under direction of the VWF chapter.

In the present difficult period of readjustment of countless thousands of disabled veterans whose minds and bodies bear the cruel scars of conflict, the nation-wide rehabilitation service of the Veterans of Foreign Wars is doing those things for veterans which the government is unable to do in their behalf—those things which they cannot do for themselves.

When distributors of the buddy poppies come to you, Hamlin people, dig a little deeper into your jeens and give liberally. We cannot pay them for their scars, lost limbs, blindness and clouded minds—but we can give them things that might alleviate their sufferings and privations.

SUPERVISED OUTINGS VS. IDLENESS

Within the next several weeks several scores of Hamlin area boys and girls will be leaving for summer camps that will refreshing both from a physical standpoint and educationally. The youngsters will come back from outings of a week or more better boys and girls—with broader vision of the out-of-doors, and their part in it.

Boy Scouts of the area will go the first week in June to Camp Tonkawa at Buffalo Gap, south of Abilene, where one of the finest camps in the Southwest is being provided by the Chisholm Trail Council. Prime feature of the Tonkwaa Camp will be a brand new swimming pool built this year with funds gathered by the Boy Scout area unit.

Camp Fire Girls of this section will go to Camp Westexaca near Lueders, one age group going next week-end and another age group making the camp the middle of June. Girls will enjoy camping facilities afforded by the Brazos River near the camp.

Well directed camps such as provided by these two outings are among the choice offerings that grown-ups can provide for the future Americans of this region. Thoughtful parents and other leaders will see to it that the maximum number of boys and girls can enjoy the camps. How much more these supervised outings can mean than idleness of the young folks at home cannot be estimated.

WHAT CONTEMPORARIES ARE SAYING

INFLATION IS NOT OUR NO. 1 PROBLEM

Controlling inflation is not the nation's No. 1 problem. The No. 1 problem is how to preserve representative government in the face of inflation. It may be impossible to control inflation due to natural forces over which the people have no control. It is possible to preserve representative government because that is a political question, and political questions are clearly within the power of the people to decide.

The argument is often heard that unless inflation is controlled, the resulting chaos will automatically destroy freedom, and history is called upon to support such an argument. But in answer to this it can be said that there has never been another nation in history like the United States. Her people are highly literate, closely integrated by modern communication and transportation, and well informed on the problems of the day. They have been taught almost from the cradle that their heritage of independence is their most valued possession. Nothing can take this heritage away from them. If it is lost, they alone must lose it. If they permit it to be lost in the turmoil of transitory economic upsets, they deserve to lose it.

No, inflation is not the nation's No. 1 problem.—Rotan Advance.

ROBERT B. HERRING TELLS ROTARY OF FIRST ATOMIC BOMB

Robert B. Herring of Breckenridge was guest speaker Wednesday noon at the weekly luncheon of the Hamlin Rotary Club at the Morgan Hotel. He told of some of his war experiences, especially while he was a member of the observation crew over the first Japanese city of Hiroshima bombed with an atomic bomb.

Herring explained the sensations members of his crew underwent as they approached the city, flying miles high above ocean and land, waiting aghast for the explosion of the world's first atomic bomb in modern warfare, little wondering that the effects of this blant and the subtquent one at Nagasaki were destined to really cause cessation of hostilities with Japan.

As the flying groups of observers, photographers and others saw the explosion of the bomb, smoke billowing skyward and later felt tremors from the blast miles away, they could see the tremendous power of the bomb, the speaker told Rotarians.

The civic group voted to purchase equipment for a softball team from Boy Scout Troop No. 33, which is sponsored by the Rotarians.

John Simmons of Sweetwater, a club guest, sang "My Wild Irish Rose." Jim Parrish of Abilene was another club guest at the Wednesday gathering.

Anna Margaret McBride, pianist for the club, who is receiving her diploma this week from Hamlin High School, was presented a graduation gift by the club, Rev. E. L. Yeats making the presentation.

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Crawford Preaches at O'Donnell Sunday Eve

Rev. J. T. Crawford, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, was in O'Donnell Sunday afternoon and evening. A former pastor of the O'Donnell Church of the Nazarene, Rev. Crawford, filled the pulpit at the church Sunday evening.

Sunday afternoon Crawford officiated at wedding ceremonies that united Ardis H. Pace and Patricia Barton. Mrs. Crawford accompanied the pastor to the Lynn County city.



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EX-CHAPLAIN TO BE SPEAKER TUESDAY AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Outstanding as a war-time chaplain who served in the front lines with fighters who engaged in some of the toughest engagements of the entire war in Europe, Colonel W. E. King of Abilene will be a featured speaker at the Hamlin First Baptist Church Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Pastor John H. Osteen of the church states that the speaker is being slated to appear Tuesday evening instead of the originally planned Wednesday night prayer service in order to permit members of other church of the city to hear his inspiring message. The public is invited to hear the evangelistic discourse, Osteen states.

Colonel King, pastor of the University Baptist Church in Abilene since October of last year, has some thrilling experiences he will tell about Tuesday evening. A volunteer in World War I at the age of 16, King volunteered for service in the second World War. He entered chaplain duty as a captain and attained the rank of colonel when the hostilities ceased. Serving with the 44th Division of the Sixth Army Corps, King served in North Africa and Sicily and took part in the bloody Salerno and Anzio Beach invasion in Italy and the Southern France invasion. He was wounded three times, and earned six decorations for valor

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J. E. Walton Back from Army Duty in Pacific

Staff Sergeant J. E. Walton returned to the United States recently after several months in the Philippines and Japan. He received his discharge in California. He and his wife, the former Sammye Nell Rash of Aspermont, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walton Sr., and other relatives in Hamlin.

The young couple will return to Los Angeles, California, soon, where Mrs. Walton is employed as an accountant for Lockheed Aircraft and J. E. plans to enter school.

J. E. served for two and one-half years in the Army.

Wonder if they call it puppy love because it's the beginning of a dog's life?

FIVE GRADUATES AT H. H. S NAMED TO HONOR GROUP

Ida Frances Robertson was named last week-end as valedictorian of the Hamlin High School senior class for 1946. Salutatorian is Milton Johnson.

Other honor graduates of the class were named this week by school officials as folows: Diane Carlton, Peggy Polk Hopper, Anna Margaret McBride. Honor graduates had an average of 90 or above in all courses by members of the class.

Final exercises for the class were scheduled for Thursday evening at the high school auditorium, when a class-arranged program was under the direction of Milton Johnson, who was acting as chairman of a typical school meeting. "Reports" of activities of the past year were to be given

Complete program of the commencement rites was printed in last week's issue of The Herald.

Diplomas were slated to be presented to graduates by Superintendent of Schools I. R. Huchingson. for the closing year.

Complete program for the commencement exercises follows:

Processional, Mrs. L. B. Baker; invocation, Rev. John Osteen, pastor of Hamlin First Baptist Church; calling meeting to order by Chairman Milton Johnson; roll call and minutes, Elaine Kite.

Reports—"Our High School," Ida Frances Robertson; "The Arts and Science Courses," Dorothy Gene Huling; reading, "Life," Anna Margaret McBride; "The Vocational Courses," Mary Lou Smart; "The Commercial Courses," Peggy Polk Cooper; "Cultural and Fine Arts," Joe Clements; sextet, "Waltz of the Flowers" by Tschaikowski, Ida Frances Robertson, Elaine Kite, Joyce Culbertson, Anna Margaret McBride, Diane Carlton and Sharlot Riddle; "Physical and Recreational Training," Elizabeth Butcher; new business; presentation of credentials (diplomas); election of permanent officers; adjournment; and benediction, Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor of Hamlin First Methodist Church.

Seniors slated to receive diplomas in the Thursday evening ceremonies were: F. D. Bagwell, Lindol Beard, James Brown, Elizabeth Butcher, Diane Carlton, Arthur Tom Carlton, Wanda Rose Carrigan, Joe Wayne Carter, Joe Clements, Joe Collins, Billy Coltharp, Joyce Culbertson, Zona Lee Faulkenberry, Glena Fudge, Marion Gilbert, Roland Goodgame, Betty Jo Green, Jack Gray, Edwin Hill, Dorothy Gene Huling, D. C. Hughes Jr., Wilda Lou Jean, Milton Johnson, Elaine Kite, Margaret McBride, Larry McCoy, Sammy McNeely, Jessie Myers, Charles Newland, Mildred Phipps, F. W. Poe Jr., Bill Pritchard, Sharlot Riddle, Ida Frances Robertson, J. D. Rodgers, Bebe Shelton, Mary Lou Smart, Opal Smart, Wanda Lou Smith, John Harold Steele, Wesley Tabb, Lorene Tabb, Winnie Beth Teague, Elmer Terrell Jr., Nellie Turner, Yuel Ulmer, Jerry Waggoner, Wanda Austin, Maudie Beene, Elizabeth Taylor, Peggy Wainscott, Marvene White and Naomi Ruth Young.

Schedule of Services at Church of the Nazarene

Schedule of services at the Church of the Nazarene follows:

Sunday—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 11:00 a. m.; young people's service, 7:15 p. m.; evening service, 8:00 p. m.

Monday — Women's Fellowship Missionary Society, 2:30 p. m.

Wednesday—Mid-week prayer service, 8:00 p. m.

The church and pastor invite you to attend these services.—J. T. Crawford, Pastor.

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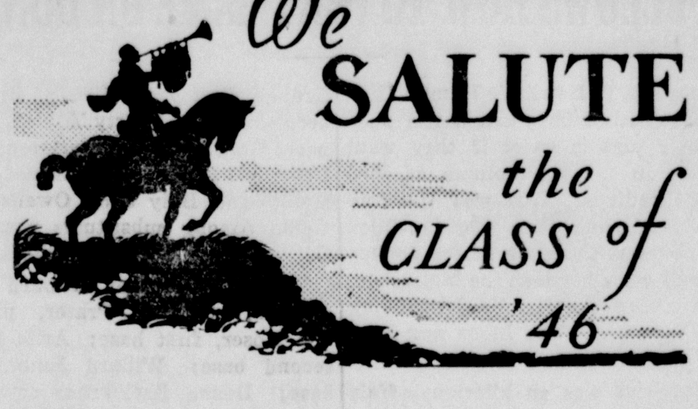
Two negroes were talking about finances.

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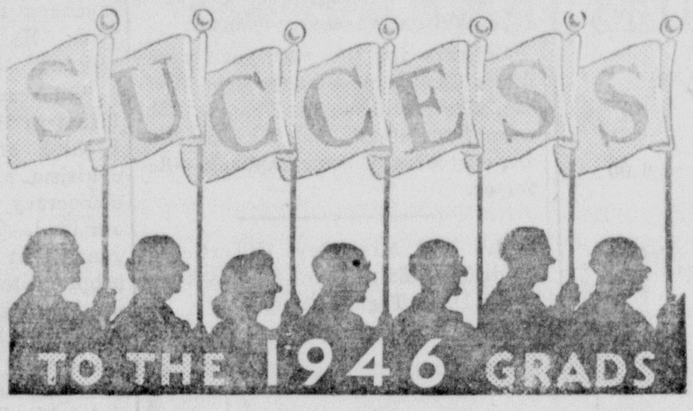


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But we want to you know that we are crowding into this space all the good wishes that paper and ink can carry. Good luck, good health, and worlds of success to all of you.



We have been told that "gold is where you find it." In the same way good fortune waits upon hi mand her who seek it intelligently and perseveringly. Then, too, there are other kinds of good forunte, which have nothing to dol with dollars and cents.

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LIONS CLUB BASEBALLERS SHOW YOUNGER FELLOWS HOW TO PLAY GAME ON DONKEY

Coach L. B. Howard's Hamlin High School football boys had better stick to their pigskin sport if they want to stay in the win column at Pied Piper Stadium. This was the conclusion of more than 600 fun-filled spectators at the close of the donkey baseball game between the high school charges and the Hamlin Lions Club Tuesday night. The Lions won by a 4 to 3 count.

The game was an hilarious affair when members of the team had difficulty in getting their mounts to act like respectable critters on the diamond. The batter usually wound up on the ground after his first try at donkey riding. The business men in the Lions Club were a game lot though, and kept on trying for the sake of their major club activity—caring for unfortunate people with sight defects.

A gate of more than $358 was reported by ticket sellers.

The school boys started off the game in the first inning with a marker by Bob Crowley. Doyle Dean put over a tally in the second. The Lions scored first in the third frame when Herbert Bernshausen rode his charge to home plate. James Brown scored in the fifth. Then the Lions tied the game in the fifth when Stanley Carmichael and Teddy Russell coaxed their long-eared mounts to amble across the platter. Claude Lancaster scored the winning tally in the sixth to put the game away. The school boys couldn't score in their half of the seventh and the game ended.

Starting line-ups for the two nines follow:

School Boys — Bobby Crowley, catcher; W. C. Moore, pitcher; Billy Franks, first base; George Brigham second base; Shorty Myers, third; base; Brad Rowland, shortstop; Doyle Dean, left field; James Brown, center field; and Billy Jack Owens, right field. Among substitutes were Poe, Coltharp, McGuire and others.

Lions Club — Jim Howard King catcher; Charles Prater, pitcher; Joe Moser, first base; Arlie Cassle, second base; Willard Jones, third base; Delma Shelburne, shortstop; Brose Spencer, left field; Ted Russell, center field; and Teddy Russell, right field. Among substitutes for the Lions were Claude Lancaster, Stanley Carmichael, Herbert Bernshausen, LaFoy-Patterson, Art Carmichael and others.

Junior Literary Club Names Mrs. Bennett as Sponsor Coming Year

The Junior Literary Club of Hamlin was organized in 1942. It has been active at all times except during the summer. The club was founded with the aim and goal of furthering culture and refinement in our community and in our world, for that matter.

During the closing club year the organization has studied "Famous People and Interesting Inventions." This course of study has included President Roosevelt, President Truman, Admiral Nimitz and many public figures. It has also given information on the atom bomb, inventions that help our veterans who have been disfigured and injured for life in the war to see, hear and walk.

Our sponsor is Mrs. O. D. Roland and Mrs. G. R. Bennett is co-sponsor. Mrs. Bennett has been elected sponsor for the coming year, and Mrs. John Walton is to be co-sponsor.

Officers for the past year were: Diane Carlton, president; Bebe Shelton, vice president; Ida Frances Robertson, secretary; and Sharlot Riddle, custodian of the scrapbook.—Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbert and children of Baird spent the week-end in the D. R. Tegart home.

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Judge Tom L. Beauchamp of the Court of Criminal Appeals, above, who is seeking his second elective term, is a former weekly newspaper man. He recently carried a dissenting opinion in the well known case involving Corpus Christi newspaper men held in contempt of court. He declared his stand was one for freedom of the press and freedom of speech.

OMAR BURLESON WELL PLEASED WITH HAMLIN OPTIMISM

"Every time I come to Hamlin I am reminded oft hat phrase of a popular song, "Where never is heard a discouraging word," were the opening remarks of Omar Burleson of Anson, former Jones County judge, when he spoke Tuesday noon at the luncheon meeting of Hamlin Lions Club. He was program speaker for the day.

"Such an attitude of optimism as I find in Hamlin is refreshing when I think of all the skepticism and cynicism about the failure of our democracy being so outspoken over our land. There is a fatalism propoganda that is being fed by groups of people with little faith who are bewailing that our economy is to be controlled by government; that we are merely cogs in a machine of state managed affairs, fixed prices and wages," added Burleson.

The Anson man declared that too many people of today are leaning too much on the government instead of being self reliant indiivduals. "We as individuals and a nation," said Burleson, "need to look through the discouragement of cynicism and skepticism to progress initiated by our people using new tools and new discoveries to achitve greater heights of true living."

Hamlin High School Coach L. B. Howard presented the plan being sponsored by his football bays to add dressing rooms and lockers at the Pied Piper Stadium. He explained that 150 interest bearing vouchers are being sold at $10 each to provide a fund of $1,500 for installation of the rooms, improving the stadium fence and making other improvements. The vouchers will be redeemed by December 1, 1947, from the sale of tickets to games this fall.

Burl Bunkley was initiated as a new member of the Lions Club by Gordon Bennett. Dr. E. G. Collins, new Hamlin physician, was a guest.

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Wilburn Ford Arrives From Service in Japan

Wilburn (Bill) Ford came in last week after a long stay in the South Pacific with Uncle Sam's Army. He is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Joe Ford, and other relatives and friends.

Leaving Yokohama on April 26, young Ford arrived in the States May 6. After a 15-day furlough the Army man will return to Camp Hood for reassignment.

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"Secondly, sh should be like an echo, to speak when she is spoken to; but she should not be like an echo, always to have the last word."

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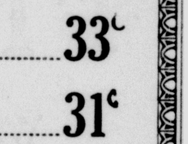
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MRS. ADA TERRELL DIES WEDNESDAY HOME IN HAMLIN

Mrs. Ada Terrell, for 30 years a resident of Hamlin, died at her home Wednesday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock after a two-month illness. She was 69 years of age.

Funeral services were scheduled for Thursday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock at the Hamlin First Baptist Church. Rev. John W. Osteen, pastor, assisted by Rev. E. L. Yeats, Methodist Church pastor, was to be in charge of the final rites.

Burial is slated in the Olton, Lamb County, cemetery, under direction of Barrow Funeral Home.

Surviving Mrs. Terrell are eight sons, J. B. and Elmer Terrell of Hamlin, Joe and Bonny Terrell of Denver City, Douglas Terrell of Andrews, Grover Terrell of Rotan and Jack Terrell of Odessa; two daughters, Mrs. V. A. Curry of Hillsboro and Mrs. T. H. Williams of Hamlin; one brother, C. F. Heath of Los Angeles, California; and one sister, Mrs. T. A. Jean of Hamlin.

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NEWS NOTES FROM SYLVESTER

MRS. J. M. MONTGOMERY, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. George Hood returned from California Monday. They had visited for several weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Clayton Carrell, and family.

William Reeves, Church of Christ minister, and his family moved to Abilene Wednesday. The house where they lived is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Waldrop and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mauldin of Abilene have moved to Sylvester and are living in an apartment at the W. R. Moffett residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay of Hamlin were in town Tuesday afternoon on business.

The Sylvester Study Club will meet Tuesday evening for the final program of the year. A meeting to elect officers for the coming year will be held May 28.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Turner went on the three-day Hereford tour sponsored by the West Texas Hereford Association, visiting many ranches in this territory. The Turner Hereford Farm was one of the places visited Wednesday, where a cattle sprayer Paul has invented was demonstrated.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moffett are announcing the arrival of a son at Sweetwater Hospital Thursday morning, May 16. The young man has been named Larry D.

C. O. (Colonel) La Rue Sr. died at his home in Sweetwater Thursday morning and was buried Friday afternoon. He was the father of Mrs. Jack Stone of Sylvester. Mr. La Rue lived here many years, and was section foreman on the railroad. Several from here attended the funeral services at Sweetwater Friday.

Louis Kiser of Weatherford, an old-timer here, came Thursday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Douglas were in Abilene Saturday.

Visiting in the Turner home are their children, Mrs. Kathryn Polk and Kay and Mr. and Mrs. William Conley and children.

Mrs. Waldo Cox was in Abilene Saturday to bring home her son, James (Breezy) Cox, and friend, Elizabeth Herring of Sweetwater, to spend the week-end. Both James and Miss Herring are students at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ancil Hendricks of Roscoe were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Hendricks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brewer.

Visiting their mother, Mrs. A. N. Pursley, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Woodfard Pursley of Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pursley of Sweetwater.

The teachers and a number of the mothers carried all the school children to Sweetwater Park Monday for a picnic. Despite the cool weather, an enjoyable day was reported.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Devers had as their guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Devers and children, Patsy and Billie, of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stinnett of near Longworth were visiting friends at Sylvester Sunday afternoon.

Paul Turner and Milton Montgomery were in Abilene Monday attending to business.

Jackie Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cummings, spent the week-end at Crowell with his grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kelly and Colleen accompanied their son and brother, Marvin Kelly, and family of Rotan to Fort Worth to spend the week-end with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Kenneth Dixon, Mr. Dixon and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Huddleston of California are visiting Mrs. Huddleston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawlis.

Mrs. G. S. Barnes and Mrs. A. B. Armstrong were in Sweewtater Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hollis of Sweetwater were Sylvester visitors Monday afternoon.

The Answer.

She doesn't yearn for nylon stockings
Nor uses lipstick, paint or rouge;
She doesn't pluck her thickened eyebrows,
And she never touches booze.
She doesn't ask for love and kisses,
She doesn't coo or pet;
But then she's no spring chicken—
She's eighty-one, and single yet!

RURAL CARRIERS SPONSOR MEETING FOR ROAD CONFAB

W. L. Fletcher Jr. of Hamlin will be toastmaster as a series of conferences of rural mail carriers and others groups in West Texas interested in the improvement of rural roads at Abilene Thursday night, May 30, according to announcement made this week by Melvin Courtney, chairman of hte advertising committee for the carriers. The session, originally scheduled for Saturday, May 25, but advanced on account of some speakers, will be in the Windsor Hotel.

Courtney said a committee of members of several organizations has been appointed to draft preliminary plans for formulating a program for submission to the state Legislature that would result in improvement of rural mail routes, school bus routes and farm produce roads.

Leaders identified with the improvement program include County Judge Gilbert Smith of Jones County, who is president of the American Institute of Local Highway Administration; J. Walter Hammond of Tye and Waco, president of the Texas Farm Bureau; John Thompson of Merkel, secretary of the Texas Ginners Association; Judge C. L. Sullivan of Cooke County; State Senator Pat Bullock of Colorado City; and Raley, who is chairman of the good roads committee of the Texas Rural Letter Carriers Association.

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FOR SALE—Self propelled combine and International truck; would sell both or combine by itself. Call or write Mr. Starnes, First State Bank, Matador, Texas. 28-2p

GERANIUMS, begonias, double petunias, ferns and other small plants. —Frances Floral Shop. 28-3c

WONDERBERRIES will be ripe at Sewell's Orchard, beginning May 28; 25 cents per bucket. 1c

FOR SALE—Sow and five nine-week-old pigs, $55 for all. See Lonnie Kidd, phone 255-W. 1p

FOR SALE — Six-foot John Deere 12-A combine; also six-foot John Deere power mower.—G. W. Kincaid. 1p

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WANTED—Paint jobs, any kind, any time, anywhere. See Irvin R. Acker, phone 166-J. 23-tfc

RADIO AND ELECTRIC SERVICE —Have just opened a repair shop across from post office; will do repairs on any kind of household apparatus.—W. F. Wilcox. p

SPRAYING TIME is here for cedars and other trees. Drop a card to E. Allison, Box 176, McCaulley. 29-2p

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DRIVING NEW CAR to San Diego, California, June 5; can take two passengers. Write to Doyle Jones, Route 3, or leave name at Herald office. 1p

WORD OF THANKS

I am taking this method of thanking each and every one who were so kind and thoughtful in sending cards beautiful flowers and gifts during my recent illness. God bless all of you.—Mrs. H. C. Harber. 1c

CARD OF THANKS

We will always hold in grateful remembrance your comforting expressions of sympathy during the illness and passing of our dear mother Mrs. J. S. Hubbard.—The Hubbard Children. 1p

MA BROWN is back in the some old place, first door north of Ferguson Theatre. Will be glad to have all her old customers back and new ones, too. Sure will try to please you. 1p

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WANTED—Hauling of any kind in Hamlin; local hauling. See Clyde Trotter. 28-4p

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh business in Taylor County; 1,000 families; real opportunity; we help you get started. Write Rawleigh's, Dept-TXE-333-OA, Freeport, or see S. Howard, Hamlin, Texas. 29-3p

WANTED—38-caliber pistol. Call at Herald office.

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POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

BY GEO DARDEN

Some say the McCaulley School is being undermined and plans are being laid to catch the folks off guard and without poll tax receipts and call an election to consolidate our school with some other school. If such should come to pass there will arise more bitterness among neighbors than was ever known in any former election in this community. Frankly, in our own personal opinion any man, whether he be a member of the school board or otherwise, who would sell out his child's school or his neighbor's child's school is guilty of an unpardonable sin against his community.

Any school that is in as good financial condition as ours and with a record as good as ours, needs no outside dictator. If we had no high school ,and we were in dire need of financial assistance, that would be a horse with another color. If the people were not interested in our school, then the voters would not have voted bonds for a gymnasium. Some say we cannot build a gym for $24,000, amount of bonds voted; that materials cannot be had, etc. Well, neighbors, if other folks can get materials to build night clubs and honky-tonks in Texas, as is being done, surely we can get enough materials to build a $24,000 structure—even if it's only a mule barn. Wake up, neighbor, before it's too late.

Thanks to Mrs. L. F. (Pinky) Gist, way out in California, for her complimentary letter regarding this column.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson and children are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rhoten. Jack recently underwent a major operation in Borger.

Mrs. Clara Jo Allison left several days ago for California to join her husband, who is stationed out there in Uncle Sam's Army.

The junior and senior students of McCaulley High School will leave Sunday for the Carlsbad Caverns.

There was too much excitement to watch everything that was going on in the old home town last week—the road machinery at work on the new highway, the soft ball games, the saw filing machines at work at the gin, etc.

Ed Mason has returned to his home after several weeks in a Rotan hospital for treatment. Glad to report Mr. Mason improved.

One candidate for governor has brought up the old Ku Klux Klan issue again. The boys have to find something to talk about. The next thing we know some candidate will include a plank in his platform that will catch the Texarkana killer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jayroe have purchased the Floyd Warner farm south of town. The farm, formerly known as the John Dean place, consists of about 140 acres. The Jayroes now live at Rotan, where he is employed by an auto parts company. We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Warner will move to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Henderson and his sister, Jessie Henderson, of San Francisco, California, visited their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Henderson, near McCaulley last week-end. Melvin was discharged April 19 from the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Miers and children and J. O. Jones of Lubbock are visiting for a few days with relatives in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Eivens and children of Lubbock visited with his mother and sister at McCaulley last week-end.

Mrs. Sybil Stevenson, student at Scoggins Beauty School at Abilene, visited her family at McCaulley last week-end.

We imagine that Governor Coke felt like crawling in a hole after Jimmy Allred exposed the wholesale paroling of Texas prisoners Saturday night. It's high time that some of the men who know are telling the folks.

It looks like a "full house" in the Congressional race in the 17th District. See where our good friend, Gib Sandefer, has thrown his hat in the ring. Delivered papers with that boy back in 1919 nad 1920 when we used a pony and saddle to get the subscribers their afternoon Abilene papers. Went to grammar school with him. He's a good scout.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Mayo and children of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fairey and daughter of Lamar, Colorado, were visitors on Sunday, Mother's Day, in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mayo, near McCaulley.

Mrs. M. B. Wetherly of Mansfield is visiting this week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Rush, and family at McCaulley.

Dr. J. P. McBeth, pastor of the Lamar Street Baptist Church in Sweetwater, preached the baccalaureate sermon at the McCaulley Baptist Church Sunday night.

Johnny Max Jones, student at McMurry College, Abilene, was home over the week-end.

Mrs. Frank Jackson left last week for Stephenville to be at the bedside of her father, who is seriously ill in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lee have returned from a visit with their soldier son, Bud Lee, at San Antonio. While in the Alamo City they visited the Alamo, the sunken gardens, Kelly Field and Brackenridge Park. Bud was one of 16 boys out of 60 who passed tests for officers' training school. He says that his Boy Scout work at McCaulley was a great help to him in the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Galloway and Dick, had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Joe, Albert Jr. and wife and son, Stanley Jackson, on night last week on the river arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Waldrop and daughters were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Lee. They are from O'Brien.

T. H. Randolph of Morenci, Arizona, spent Monday and Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Lee. Also visiting in the Lee home were Mrs. Roy Lee and son of Midland and Mrs. Iva Brown of Midland.

A fish fry was enjoyed one night last week in the Louis Bailey home. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith and children. Fish were caught at Fort Phantom Lake, cooked over open fire at the Bailey home with all the trimmings.

COMMENT NO. 1

The big boys know that the OPA is the only barrier to inflation. They also know that depression will follow inf[illegible] Therefore, if they can kill the OPA they can sell everything at high prices and when the depression comes they can get it back again. Thus they would have both the money and the prposperity.

And so the pressure continues to raise prices and weaken OPA. Corporation lobbyists claim that the OPA is inefficient, that it permits black markets and "strangles" legitimate business. But whenever the OPA asks for enough funds to enforce price ceilings and wipe out black markets it is opposed by these same hypocritical corporation lobbyists.

A reactionary Congress listens to the lobbyists and refuses to give OPA the money it needs. They even go further and cut OPA appropriations so low that it is forced to curtail its operations.

Congress is enforcing inefficiency in the OPA. It will not permit the OPA to hire the enforcement agents it needs to run down the black marketeers. And as the OPA is crippled prices rise higher and higher.

Congress is attempting to make the public believe that the OPA has failed. The laborer, the small business man, farmer and stockman must wake up and demand of Congress protection from money-mad profiteers or we find ourselves in the same predicament as was the case in the first World War. The voters of the United States fell for the capitalist propoganda after World War I, elected Hoover, and we all darn near starved to death. We don't have to have a degree in college to figure out when the average man is getting it in the neck. This country boy columnist can only warn the readers in our humble way and hope the voters will do something about it.—A Darden-O-Gram.

Most every man is a loud dresser when a button pops off his shirt.

Hamlin Jaycees Seek Matched Ball Games With Area Players

Hamlin Junior Chamber of Commerce members, their wives and other guests enjoyed the first of a series of regular monthly picnics last Thursday evening at the I. R. Witt cabin at Moore Lake. Following the picnic style lunch, the group played bingo and other games in the cabin. Prizes were awarded to winners.

Next meeting of the Jaycees has been announced by President Charles Prather for Monday evening.

Jaycee officials state plans are shaping up for formation of a strong Junior Chamber of Commerce soft ball team. Beginning next week, it is announced, games will be played each Tuesday, Thursday and Friday night. Teams wanting ball games with the Jaycee group are asked to contact Coach L. B. Howard.

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New Potatoes Texas Grown Lb. 6¢
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Crackers Busy Baker	Lb.	15¢	Sw. Potatoes Pine Grove	No. 2½ Can	20¢
Peanut Butter Real Roast	2-Lb. Jar	52¢	Hi Ho Crackers	1-Lb. Pkg.	23¢
Baby Food Heinz	3 Reg. Cans	27¢	Palmolive Soap	3 Bars	20¢



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$200,000 To Be Spent By By Gyp Unit

CELOTEX CORPORATION PLANS EXPANSION OF STORAGE AND OTHER FACILITIES

Work was started this week on an extensive expansion program in plant facilities of the Celotex Corporation, southwest of Hamlin, that will mean expenditure of approximately $200,000, according to John O. Lewis, local manager of the concern.

Principal item in the huge building and equipment schedule is an addition to the storage facilities at the plant for finished products of the mill. With concrete foundations and flooring, the structure will be constructed of steel and sheet iron on the east end of th main plant. Expansion will provide 17,000 square feet additional floor space, as compared with about one-third that amount in the present storage room. With the new storage addition approximately 3,000,000 square feet of wall board can be stored at the mill.

Ted Armstrong, who recently returned to the employ of the Celotex concern after several years on the West Coast, is in general charge of the enlargement program.. Ludwig Construction Company of New Orleans has the overall construction contract. Richard Wright Construction Company of New Orleans has the foundation contract.

Excavation work was started Monday by Wright. The new unit is expected to be completed within five months, Armstrong states. Practically all materials are purchased.

New office building costing about $5,000 will be erected just inside the fenced area of the Celotex plant, about 150 feet south of the present office, Lewis stated.

Included in the improvement program will be new crushing equipment for the gypsum mine at Longworth, 14 miles southwest of the Celotex community plant. A new shovel for use at the Longworth mine also has been purchased.

Terrell Sledge to Face Connally for Senate Job

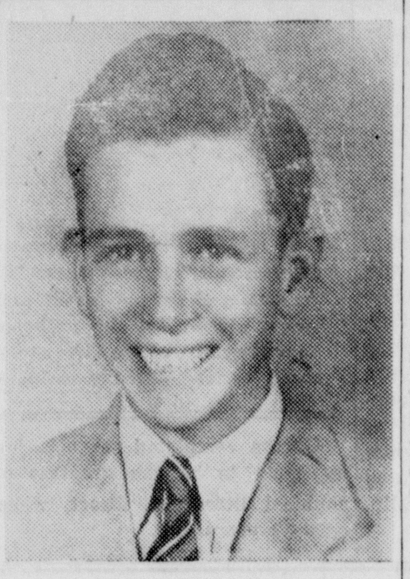
Terrell Sledge of Kyle has announced his candidacy for the United States Senate as an opponent to the veteran Tom Connally.

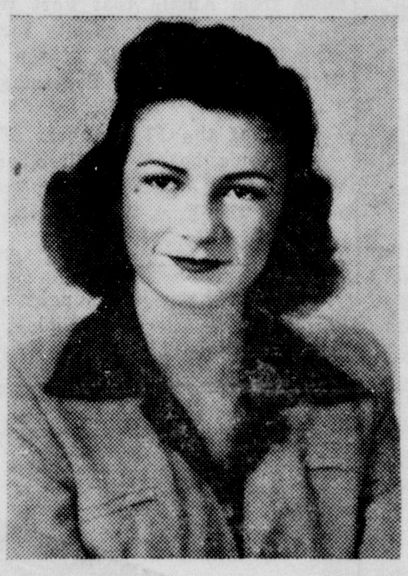
Sledged, age 42, a graduate of the University of Texas, has been a farmer-stockman since returning to his home town in 1928 and has operated his own farm during these years. He served three and one-half years in the Army.

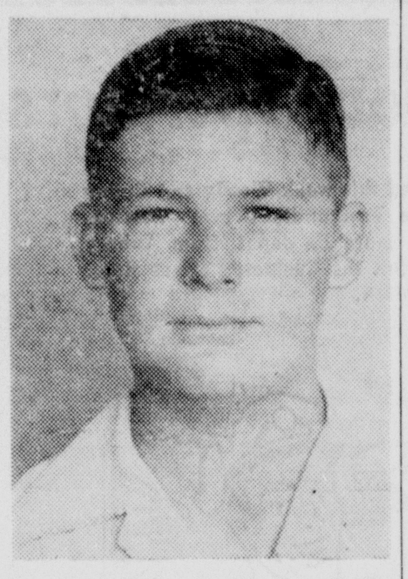
THESE ARE PRINCIPALS IN COMMUNITY-WIDE YOUTH CENTER OPENING SATURDAY

Leading in a community-wide movement to provide for a Youth Fellowship Center, where the young people of Hamlin community may gather several nights each week in a convenient spot for entertainment and fellowship, these people will have general direction of activities: Top row, left to right: Rev. John H. Osteen, pastor of First Baptist Church, director; Mrs. Loleta Treadwell, co-director; and Joe Frank Beaver, member of Youth Council; bottom row, left to right: other members of Council are Jo Hargrove, Jessie Myers, Mozelle Barnett and Ray Myers. Another member of Council who picture was not available is Larry McCoy.









About Half of School Dressing Room Fund Vouchers Disposed of

About half of the dressing room fund vouchers being sold by the High School Athletic Association had been sold first of the week, Hamlin school officials stated.

Fund of $1,500 for installing new dressing rooms at Pied Piper Stadium is being raised by sale of 150 interest-bearing vouchers at $10 each. The vouchers will be redeemed by January, 1947, with proceeds from fall football games, athletic association leaders state.

New close-at-hand dressing rooms it is explained, are needed for both home and visiting teams when contests are held at the stadium. Suiting up now is being done in a class room at the Hamlin High School, four blocks away. The room is badly needed for classroom work, officials state.

Sale of the vouchers, being conducted by Coaches L. B. Howard and Melvin Carlton and football boys, is expected to be completed next week.

Youth Fellowship Center Will Be Opened Saturday

A community-wide Youth Fellowship Center will be inaugurated Saturday evening for the young people of Hamlin, according to announcement made this week by Rev. John Osteen, pastor of the First Baptist Church, director of the movement.

"Started because of the great need in Hamlin for properly directed and organized entertainment for young people, every young person in Hamlin and surrounding community is invited to attend the scheduled sessions," Osteen declares. He and others ask the support and cooperation of parents and youths.

Trial sessions of the program were staged several evenings ago, when the first groups were large, more than 100 young people attending the get-togethers. "Fun, friends and fellowship" will be keystones of the center, sponsors declare.

Official opening of the center is Slated Saturday evening, May 25, when a picnics, sponsored by mothers of the young people, will be staged at the city park in Southwest Hamlin, beginning at 7:45 o'clock. Everything will be furnished by the sponsored.

After the picnic the group will go to the Youth Fellowship Center in the basement of the First Baptist Church, for games, singing and a good time.

Beginning May 25 the Youth Fellowship Center will be open for the following hours: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings from 8:00 till 10:30 p. m.; Sunday afternoon from 2:30 to 6:30; and Monday evenings from 8:00 to 10:00 o'clock for junior boys and girls.

See YOUTH CENTER—Page Six

15 New Cars Delivered By Agencies at Hamlin As Production Climbs

Fifteen new cars have ben delivered by Hamlin auto dealers so far, according to a check made this week by The Herald. Sheafs of car orders are on hand, but would-be owners are waiting for production to get into high gear.

Automobile production set a post-war record in April despite the coal strike, the civilian production administration reported over the week-end.

The agency said 152,206 passenger cars rolled off assembly lines last month, a 67 per cent gain over the March output. Truck production more than doubled, it added, climbing to 81,282 units in April from 39,459 in March.

CPA said the sharp April production increase was due principally to resumption of production by General Motors Corporation, which had been strike-bound for more than three months.

Call 241 and tell your news items.

Schools Get Big Pay from State Funds

STATE PER CAPITA OF $25 PAID ALREADY—TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER AID DUE

Total of $16,325 has been received by the Hamlin Independent School District as per capita apportionment payment so far this school year, according to School Supperintendent I. R. Huchingson. Remainder of $3,265 is due on the $30 per capita set payment slated by Septemer 1.

Actually, the per capita apportionment coming to Hamlin schools will amount to $27,520 on the $30 per capita, because with transfers and other students attending the local system this school term has been average of 919.

Huchingson explains that probably an additional payment of $2,512 is expected to be made this year on the basis of a $4 per student allotment that has been recommended by state school leaders. This $4 payment would come by virtue of an unprecedented surplus in the apportionment fund now on hand.

Funds for the state apportionment are derived principally from various state taxes on luxury items.

Others monies are due to the Hamlin schools from state funds, Superintendent Huchingson stated. State school bus supplemental pay called transportation money has not been received for the current term. This should amount to several thousand dollars.

Funds from a newly created account labeled "equalization aid" also are due Hamlin Schools. Exact apportionment was not known by local school officials due the institutions. Payments are made from this fund to small and medium size schools with less than 1,250 scholastics showing actual need, and Hamlin schools have qualified for such payment, officials stated.

Summer School Will Be Conducted If Needed

Summer school courses will be taught in Hamlin schools if sufficient number of students desire such classs, Superintendent of School I. R. Huchingson stated this week. Results of final examinations being given this week, which will determine the number of failing students during the regular school term which closes Thursday, probably will be the factor of decision for the summer session.

High School Principal H. P. McLaughlin will be in charge of the summer session if it is conducted.

AT LAST . . .

A Youth Fellowship Center for All the Young People of Hamlin

WHERE? Basement of First Baptist Church

WHEN? Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 8:00 to 10:30 p. m. Open also Sundays at 2:30 p. m.
(Monday night exclusively for Junior boys and girls).



WHAT? Fellowship! Friends! Fun! (Games Singing, Refreshments and Devotion).

NOTICE! Picnic Saturday, May 25, at 7:45 p. m. at the City Park. All young people invited to attend.

Where the Young People of the Community Congregate!

LEGION BARBECUE ATTRACTS 200 AS GLEASON SPEAKS

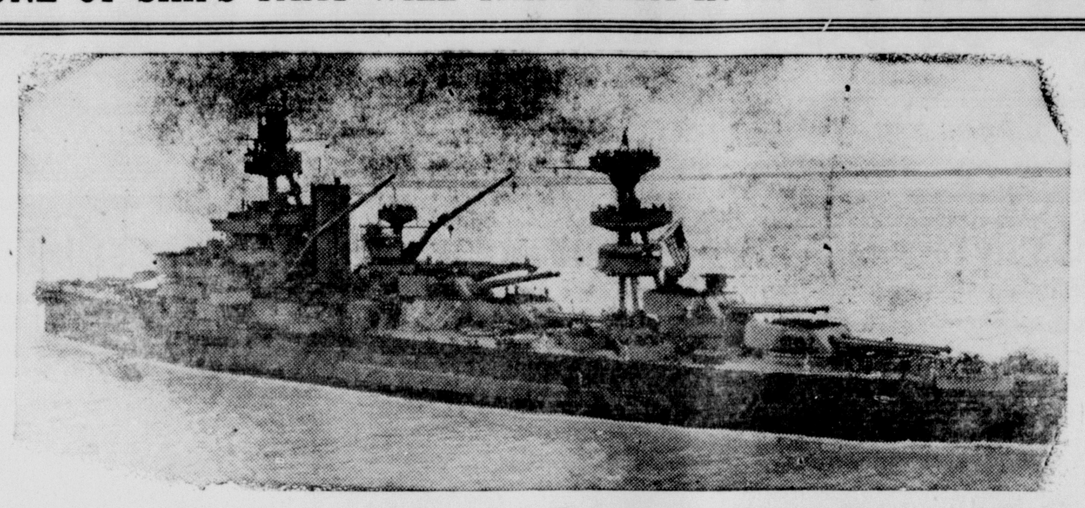
"That's one barbecue I've been to where the bread was tougher than the meat!"

This is the way one of the more than 200 attendants expressed his being pleased with the fine barbecue served Tuesday night by the Hamlin post of the American Legion at the city park for Legionnaires, ex-service men and their wives and other guests. Plenty of trimmings were on hand, served under supervision of Joe Cuibertson, post commander.

R. J. Gleason of Anson, district commander of the 17th District of the American Legion, was speaker for the evening. His topic was the Americanism program being sponsored by the veterans' organization.

It was announced at the gathering Monday night that the drive for a total of $1,098 assigned to the county in the national campaign will be raised within the ranks of the Legionnaires. The quota will be pro rated between the three posts at Hamlin, Stamford and Anson.

ONE OF SHIPS TAAT WILL TAKE PART IN ATOMIC BOMB TESTS



Within short weeks, units of the target fleet of operation "Crossroads," including the USS Arkansas, oldest battleship in the Navy, above, will be gathering near the scene of the first atomic bomb tests. Already ships of the fleet are preparing for the tests which will be held in Bikini Atoll, tiny islet in the Marshall Island group. The Arkansas has carried two presidents and one congressional committee as passengers during peacetime, and been in action in both wars. In second World War the veteran ship served as a convoy escort, and bombarded the shores of Normandy, Southern France, Iwo Jima and Okinawa in pre-invasion actions.

Gorthe completed what is judged by some to be the greatest philosophical literature, Faust, when he was 82 years old.

Pastor at Sweetwater Speaks Sunday Night To McCaulley Seniors

Dr. J. P. McBeth, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Sweetwater, was the speaker Sunday evening at the Baptist Church in McCaulley for the baccalaureate service for McCaulley High School seniors.

Complete program for the exercises, under supervision of W. W. Webb, superintendent of McCaulley Schools, follows:

Processional, Mrs. Luther Rector; invocation, R. B. Hennington; solo, Charline Mustain; introduction, Rev. C. E. Dick; message, Dr. J. P. McBeth; benediction, Rev. C. E. Dick; recessional, Mrs. Luther Rector.

Commencement exercises for the McCaulley High School seniors will be conducted Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the high school auditorium. Program for these rites is being run on another page of today's Herald.

Inflation Due to Many Causes.

There are many factors in addition to farm prices and wage rates that affect inflation. The federal debt has increased to gigantic proportions during the war. Currency in circulation has increased from seven to over 28 billion dollars. Bank deposits have increased from about 58 billion dollars in 1939 to over 141 billion in 1945.

Good Authority.

"Do you think you are fit for hard labor?" the foreman asked an elderly job seeker.

"I must be," replied the applicant, "some of the best judges in the country have thought so."

Hamlin Service Men to Attend Reunion of 36th

A number of Hamlin area service men were interested in the announcement from Austin that Fort Worth was selected Friday as site for the second annual reunion of the 36th Division Association, September 7, 8 and 9.

Eight of the 11 members of the association's board of directors attended the Austin session which accepted the Fort Worth invitation, extended by Herbert Joseph.

Our kids have just bought a set of books on the "Psychology of Handling Parents."

New Station Operators

In a deal consummated this week Woody and Buddy Scott purchased the Panhandle Service Station, located south of the Santa Fe depot, from Aubrey Miller, and are running the business now as Scott Brothers Service Station.



We will continue to handle Panhandle Petroleum Products and a complete line of Motor Oils. A portion of your business will be appreciated.

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As you come to the end of your senior year in Hamlin High School, may we be among the first to wish you a bright and happy future.

That you will capitalize on the knowledge you have acquired, and make citizens of whom we will continue to be proud, is the sincere wish of the folks at M. S. Johnson Garage.

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We Salute You, Graduates!

To the scores of high school graduates of Hamlin High School, and other schools of this territory, we proudly dedicate this space in our Home Town Paper.

With your diplomas behind you, we trust you will face the future with determination and wisdom that will make your success sure.

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Whether you are leaving your school days behind or expect to continue with your studies, we want you to take this thought with you: You have our unbounded admiration and our best wishes for success in all of your undertakings.

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HAMLIN YIELD TO BE GOOD BUT STATE GRAIN HARVEST OFF

Texas faced today the bleak outlook of the shortest wheat crop since 1941, with world need for grain grain at its highest in many years, it was reported to The Herald Tuesday.

While the immediate Hamlin area probably will harvest some more grain than it did in 1944, the major grain producing areas of the north Plains and in Northwest Texas reported a much below normal harvest prospect.

Dry and sun-scorched fields in the important northwestern wheat growing sections are completely blighted, the United States Department of Agriculture said after a farm-to-farm survey of conditions as of May 15.

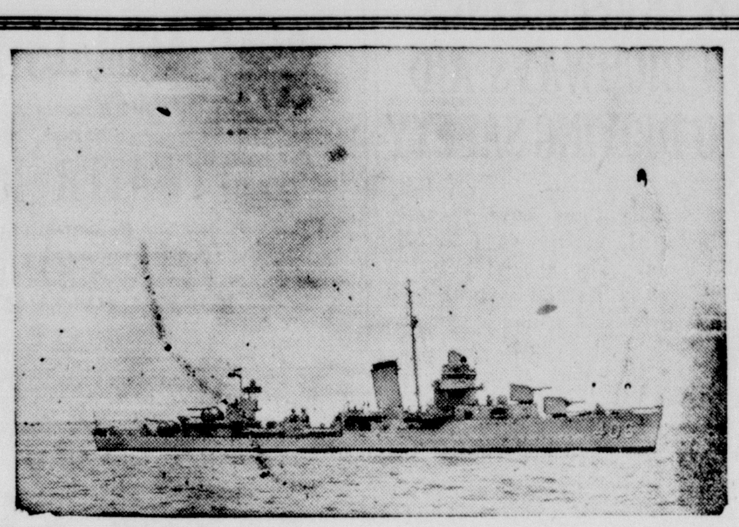
Already farmers are grazing the fields to salvage what feed there is left. Local showers in April were of little help, the USDA said. It gave the summarized estimate of the outlook:

Indicated production as of May 15, 35,666,000 bushels.

Indicated production as of April 1, 59,940,000 bushels.

Production in 1945, $41,778,000 bushels. Average annual production for 10 years (1935-44) 34,863,000 bushels.

NOTED SUB FIGHTER TO GIVE LIFE TO BOMBS



Another ship to be used as a target in the atomic bomb tests slated for late summer in the Marshall Islands is the sub-hunter U. S. S. Stack, pictured above, destroyer of the McCall class of 1939, which fought in both Atlantic and Pacific waters, operating against German and Jap submarines. The vessel participated in the Battle of Vella Gulf, the occupation of the Marshalls and the assaults on New Guinea, Leyte, Lingayen Gulf and Okinawa and did honor to the Navy.

Wants to Begin in Time.

"I have heard a good deal about people who borrow trouble, but I think my wife is tops."

"Why, I thought she was always cheerful."

"She was until our baby came six weeks ago. Now she is worrying because he may marry some girl we shall not like."

Area Cotton Raisers Interested in Poisoning Tests With New DDT

Hamlin area cotton raisers are interested in recent experiments with a DDT-sulphur mixture that indicates effectiveness against adult cotton fle ahoppers fo. control of heavy infestations, according to J. C. Gaines, entomologist of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. It is not quite as effective when sulphur alone it used, it was said, but will give economical control of light to medium infestations.

DDT has proven toxic to adult hoppers as well as immature forms, but it also reduces the population of beneficial insects, thus causing aphids to become damaging. Caution should be exercised in applying DDT early in the season, Gaines points out to Hamlin region farmers.

When both hoppers and weevils are causing injury to cotton at the same time, DDT should not be used, but a calcium arsenate-sulphur mixture is effective against both of these pests.

First application of sulphur should be applied when from 15 to 25 hoppers are found on 100 cotton terminals, but if the infestation increases rapidly, a five per cent DDT-sulphur mixture should be used to stop the damage as quickly as possible, Gaines said.

That's Really Bad!

"I hear there was some pretty bad shooting at your ranch last night. What happened—some outlaws show up?"

"No—in-laws."

Ted Armstrong Back On Job at Celotex Plant

Ted Armstrong returned to the Celotex Corporation mill southwest of Hamlin last week after an absence of five years. He is active head of the engineering department, having charge of the expansion programs started Monday at the Celotex concern.

Armstrong, familiar figure at the plant prior to 1941 for several years, has recently been associated with a California firm. He will move his family to Celotex next week from Phoenix, Arizona, where they have been temporarily located for several weeks.

Of the Rising Generation.

Another, who may be said to have his ups and downs, is the unfortunate chap who happens to get an aisle seat at a movie.

Sentinels of Health

Don't Neglect Them!

Nature designed the kidneys to do a marvelous job. Their task is to keep the flowing blood stream free of an excess of toxic impurities. The act of living—*life itself*—is constantly producing waste matter the kidneys must remove from the blood if good heath is to endure.

When the kidneys fail to function as Nature intended, there is retention of waste that may cause body-wide distress. One may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feel tired, nervous, all worn out.

Frequent, scanty or burning passages are sometimes further evidence of kidney or bladder disturbance.

The recognized and proper treatment is a diuretic medicine to help the kidneys get rid of excess poisonous body waste. Use *Doan's Pills*. They have had more than forty years of public approval. Are endorsed the country over. Insist on *Doan's*. Sold at all drug stores.

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With the zeal and determination you have shown in completing your high school work you are bound to meet the problems that lie ahead with zest.

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BEAUTIFICATION OF CELOTEX VILLAGE WELL UNDERWAY

Concerted campaign of beautification of properties at the Celotex Corporation plant southwest of Hamlin is scheduled for the next few weeks, according to officials of the gyp mill.

Occupants of residences on the "reservation" already have begun improvement of yards, removal of unsightly vegetation and garbage from around the homes and other beautification movements. Other occupants are expected to follow suit, citizens at the plant state.

The company-owned club house has been repainted. Manager John O. Lewis states, and paint was expected to be applied to the store this week. Streets in the village have been regraded recently.

Three new wells are slated to be drilled right away, Lewis states, that will assure plenty of water for lawn and flower culture.

With coming of the paved highway to the plant within the next few months, additional improvements at the mill are scheduled, including a new office building and resodding of lawns around the mill entrance.

JUST HUMANS By GENE CARR



JANE—"If I Were to Pass Out of th' Picture, What Would You Do?"

SAP—"Th' Same as You!"

JANE—"Wretch!"

At Least a Definition.

"We've been reading a lot of attacks on 'bureaucrats' lately, but we weren't just sure who the writers were talking about. Then a farmer told us what it is:

"A bureaucrat is a Democrat holding a public office that a Republican wants."

Prompt Attention to Communicable Disease Would Save Citizenry

If every case of suspected communicable disease in the Hamlin area could be promptly visited either by a family physician or the local health officer, scores of susceptible persons would be protected from disabling illnesses, according to the state health officer.

To quote Dr. George W. Cox, "The old fashioned theory that it is a good thing for children to have a number of the catching diseases and get them over with, has long since been known to be a serious and sometimes fatal error. The longer a child can keep from having these diseases, the better it is for him. Every child should be completely protected by vaccination or inoculation against these diseases where an immunity can be produced."

Prompt diagnosis, isolation, good medical and nursing care give the patient the best chance for a satisfactory recovery without the serious complications that sometimes accompany even the mild forms of communicable diseases. Dr. Cox further emphasizes in a release to The Herald that obeying the public health laws regarding isolation and quarantine of communicable diseases protects not only the patient, but helps prevent others from contracting the illness.

"The State Health Department," Dr. Cox said, "is doing everything in its power to protect the health of Texans. It is the duty of every man and woman to do his share to maintain a high level of health and help prevent the spread of communicable diseases."

NEW TRAFFIC LINES ON HIGHWAYS AID TO DRIVING SAFETY

New traffic lines have recently been installed on highways in the Hamlin area. The special painting machine was in Hamlin several days ago, and even ran a line down the center of Central Avenue.

It is the line that separates life from death; happiness from despair; safe driving from dangerous driving. It is the line that goes down the center of the highway.

Stay on your side and live. Thousands annually cross over that line and meet death or serious injury. Statistics show that passing another automobile out on the highway is one of the most dangerous things a person does.

State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer makes a timely plea when he calls for strict observance of highway markings and signs. Traffic volume is already well above pre-war peaks in Texas, tire and car shortages notwithstanding. It will soar further upward as new cars get on the road. Authorities predict the nation's 1946 death toll from motor accidents will pass 38,000 unless motorists can be persuaded to assume more cautious driving habits. At the predicted 1946 death rate, only seven years will be required for motor vehicle accidents to kill as many Americans as were killed in World War II from Pearl Harbor through V-J Day.

It will be as impossible to remove defective cars from our highways overnight as it will be to rebuild all highways overnight to conform to the most advanced safety standards. It is up to the driver in 1946 to overcome the defect in his car and in the highway, in addition to reducing the number of accidents attributed to the driver himself.

While enjoying the beautiful Texas landscapes adjacent to our highways, may each driver keep alert for those yellow signs which warn him of danger. May he stay on the right side of the center stripe and never attempt to pass another vehicle when the dashed line is on his side.

Safety is one of the battles of peace. It will be fought by every person who gets under a steering wheel. His weapons are caution and never-ending practice of a few simple safe driving rules. How well he uses these weapons will determine which is the more fatal—the battles of war or the battles of peace.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The State of Texas, County of Jones: To the legally qualified voters of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53:

Take notice that elections will be held within Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 on the 25th day of May, 1946, at the places and on the proposition more fully set forth in the order of the county judge of Jones County, Texas, substantially as follows ,to-wit

On this the 3rd day of May, 1946, there were presented to me a petition signed by W. C. Russell and 33 other legally qualified voters of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and a petition signed by J. E. Johnson and 24 other legally qualified voters of Carlton School District No. 53, which petitions prayed for a consolidation of said districts and the issuance of an order for an election for that purpose.

I find that the petition signed by W. C. Russell and others was signed by 31 legally qualified voters of Hamlin Independent School District, and that the petition presented by J. E. Johnson and others was signed by 20 legally qualified voters of Carlton Common School District No. 53.

I further find that Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District is situated partially within Jones County and partially within Fisher County, that the principal portion of said school district and its properties are situated in Jones County and that Jones County has jurisdiction over the principal school of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District.

I further find that said petitions are in compliance with the law and should be granted.

I have been advised that a petition for an election on the same proposition has been presented to the county judge of Fisher County on behalf of Plasterco Common School District No. 36 of Fisher County, and that said judge is issuing an order for such election to be held on May 25, 1946.

It is therefore ordered:

1.—That an election shall be held in Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and in Carlton Common School District No. 53 on the 25th day of May, 1946, at which time there shall be submitted to the legally qualified voters of said districts the following proposition:

"Shall Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 in Jones County, Texas, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County, Texas, be consolidated for school purposes and be known as Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District?"

2.—The place for holding the election in Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District shall be the Hamlin High School Building. The following officers are hereby appointed to hold said election in Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District: Holly Toler, presiding judge; Mrs. A. Spencer, assistant judge; Mrs. Fred C. Smith, clerk; Mrs. James E. Simmons, clerk.

3.—The place for holding the election in Carlton Common School District No. 53 shall be Radium Gin Office. The following officers are hereby appointed to hold said election in Carlton Common School District No. 53: F. W. Poe, presiding judge; M. E. Carlton, assistant judge; J. E. Johnson, clerk; J. E. Taylor, clerk.

4.—All legally qualified voters of said districts shall vote in the district in which they reside.

5.—The form of the ballots for said elections shall be as follows:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

For consolidation of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 in Jones County, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County.

Against consolidation of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 in Jones County, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County.

Each voter shall draw a line through one of the above expressions thus leaving the other to indicate his vote.

6.—Notice of said elections shall be given by posting a copy of this order in three public places in each of said districts.

Issued this the 3rd day of May, 1946.—Gilbert Smith, County Judge, Jones County, Texas. 28-2c

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The State of Texas, County of Fisher: To the legally qualified voters of Plasterco Common School District No. 36:

Take notice that an election will be held within said Plasterco Common School District No. 36 on the 25th day of May, 1946, at the place and on the proposition more fully set forth in the order of the county judge of Fisher County, Texas, substantially as follows, to-wit:

On this the 3rd day of May, 1946, there was presented to me a petition signed by J. O. Lewis and 27 other legally qualified voters of Plasterco Common School District No. 36, which petition prayed for a consolidation of districts hereinafter mentioned and the issuance of an order for an election for that purpose.

I find that the said petition was signed by 28 legally qualified voters of Plasterco Common School District No. 36.

I further find that Fisher County has jurisdiction over the principal school of Plasterco Common School District No. 36.

I further find that said petition is in compliance with the law and should be granted.

I have been advised that petitions for an election on the same proposition have been presented to the counyt judge of Jones County on behalf of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 of Jones County and that said judge is issuing an order for such election to be held on May 25, 1946.

It is therefore ordered:

1.—That an election shall be held in Plasterco Common School District No. 36 on the 25th day of May, 1946, at which there shall be submitted to the legally qualified voters of said district the following proposition:

"Shall Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton School District No. 53 in Jones County, Texas, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County, Texas, be consolidated for school purposes and be known as Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District?"

2.—The place for holding the election in Plasterco Common School District No. 36 shall be the Club House. The following officers are hereby appointed to hold said election in Plasterco Common School District No. 36: Mrs. J. W. Riddle, presiding judge. Anna B. Sills, assistant judge; Mrs. N. L. Crowley, clerk; Mrs. H. M. Rawlins, clerk.

3.—All legally qualified voters of said district may vote in said district.

4.—The form of the ballots for said election shall be as follows:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

For consolidation of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 in Jones County, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County.

Against consolidation of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 in Jones County, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County.

Each voter shall draw a line through one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other to indicate his vote.

5.—Notice of said election shall be given by posting a copy of this order in three public places in said district.

Issued this the 3rd day of May, 1946. — Roy F. Formnay, County Judge, Fisher County, Texas. 28-2c

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

RATES—The following rates for political announcements in The Hamlin Herald will apply:

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The Herald is authorized to announce the following condidates for office in Jones County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on Saturday, July 27, 1946:

For Congress, 17th District:
WILLIAM W. BLANTON
ROBERT B. HERRING
OMAR BURLESON
R. M. (BOB) WAGSTAFF
"GIB" SANDEFER

For Clerk of District Court:
LEON THURMAN

For County Judge:
JOEL V GRIMES
ROGER Q. GARRETT JR.
W. H. EYSSEN, JR.

For Sheriff of Jones County:
BILL DUNWODY
MOSE M. JONES

For County Treasurer:
BILL ARMSTRONG
GENE SPURGIN JR.

For County Clerk:
MRS. OMA SPRABERRY
H. O. ROWLAND JR.

For County Tax Assessor-Collector:
WEAVER BAUCUM
ELZY BENNETT
W. K. HORN

For County School Superintendent:
B. T. BEAVER

For County Attorney:
GEORGE P. HUDSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
G. R. RIDDLE

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The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Fisher County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on July 27, 1946:

For Sheriff
LEONARD G. BARNES

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
W. H. (HOSS) BARTON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
E. C. WALDROP
D. I. (IKE) WEST

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"The Crime Doctor's Warning"
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with RITA HAYWORTH and GLENN FORD
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"DICK TRACY"
with MORGAN CONWAY and ANNE JEFFREYS
Also Selected Shorts
Latest News Reel
Wednesday and Thursday

GIB SANDEFER PRESENTS PLATFORM FOR RACE FOR PLACE OF RUSSELL IN CONGRESS

Gib Sandefer, rancher, lecturer and former business manager of athletics of Hardin-Simmons University, and for years manager of that institution's world famous Cowboy Band, has announced his candidacy for Congress from the 17th District, and is planning an intensive campaign throughout the district prior to the Democratic primaries July 27.

Sandefer, known throughout the world as "that fellowship man of Texas," doesn't make any claims of being a great statesman, nor does he have any designs for reforming Congress or the world.

"My friends have been after me for several months to make this campaign," Sandefer said in announcing his formal entry into the campaign for Congressman Sam Russell's seat in the House of Representatives of the nation's Congress.

"I think I know the people of West Texas, and if elected to Congress I will go there as their representative and will work for their best interests, and will work, first and last, for the welfare of the district I represent.

"Like my good friend, the late Will Rogers, once said, I have never met a man I didn't like, and I don't expect to meet one I don't like during the forthcoming campaign. Regardless of what the verdict may be on July 27, I'm looking forward to having a little fellowship with the voters of this district during the next few months," Sandefer added.

"And if the voters of this district think I can best represent them in Congress, I'll go up there and have a little fellowship with the boys in Washington; tell them about the needs and problems of the people of my district; and of the possibilities for future growth and development of this great section of our state.

Sandefer, a son of the late Dr. Jefferson Davis Sandefer, president of Hardin-Simmons University for 31 years, and of Mrs. Sandefer, virtually grew up on the campus of the institution his father headed for almost one-third of a century. Following graduation in 1927, Gib remained to assist his father in the development of the institution into one of the leading schools of West Texas.

In the years that followed Gib was business manager of the school's athletic program and as such was able to bring nation-wide recogniiton to Hardin-Simmons University. He also was manager of the colorful Cowboy Band, and it was due to his genius in making the right "contacts" that the band toured 12 foreign countries on three continents, travelling some 500,000 miles spreading the tradition of the Texas cowboy in music and spirit.

During World War II Gib served as representative of the American Red Cross in far-flung combat areas of the global conflict. He spread his "fellowship" tent in Africa, Italy and in the China-Burma-India theater. In a personal conquest of Burma, Gib took his "fellowship" right to the end of the Ledo Road and learned that war at its worst or best is hell on earth. It was while serving with American and Allied troops in the muck and mire of the Burma campaign that Gib became even more convinced that only through world fellowship and a more thorough understanding of the other man's problems and way of life can the future peace of the world be assured.

After returning to this country, following overseas service, Gib made a 42-state tour for the War Advertising Council in behalf of the American Red Cross. In recent months he has continued to further his world wide fellowship and educational ideas as a speaker for the National Dinner Clubs and the Associated Club Network, of which the Knife and Fork Club is a part.

Speaking of the forthcoming campaign, Gib says, "It's going to be a pleasure to do business with the voters of the 17th District and I am looking forward to having a little fellowship with the people encompassed in these 12 counties."

Sandefer presents a concise yet comprehensive platform for the consideration of the people of the 17th District. It follows:

For GI Joe and his sister Jane—The help and encouragement of a grateful country in every way that can be accomplished. For the war's disabled: All they need at whatever cost.

For the farmer and stockman—A legislative program geared to their needs, responsive to their wishes and guided by their advice and consent, administered as far as possible by the farmers and stockmen themselves through boards representing their local or regional interests.

For the small business man—Recognition as the mainstay of the American system, assistance and encouragement whenever he needs it, protection against the powerful forces that would destroy his existence, and a minimum of governmental interference in the conduct of his business.

For national defense—An adequate and alert military establishment, backed by continuing research and experimentation, officered and manned by professional soldiers paid a decent wage, given an equal break in privileges, and made to feel that their career is as honorable as it is ancient.

Foreign affairs—The principle of the golden rule extended to all nations, all-out cooperation with peace loving peoples who desire only the rights of mankind and the enjoyment of peace and plenty.

Labor—Maintenance of the principles of collective bargaining, with a sharing of responsibility by labor, industry and government; the promotion of live-and-let-live attitude between capital and labor, with the rights of the public to be recognized and protected.

Oil—Continuance of the practice of conservation through cooperation of state and federal government, and the protection of the interests of the producer, land owner and consumer—which in the long run are identical.

Private enterprise—Government's chief concern should be to serve as umpire, to protect the young and the weak against the strong, the honest from the dishonest, and the good from the bad—with as little governmental control and regulation as possible.

ENTERS POLITICS TOO



Endeavoring to follow in the footsteps of his illustrious father, Pat M. Neff Jr. last week announced his candidacy for the office of attorney general. The present president of Baylor University, Pat M. Neff Sr., was governor for two terms.

Did It Nearly All Herself.

Aunt (inspecting jumper)—"And did my little niece knit this all by herself?"

Betty—"Yes, auntie, all except the hole you put your head through, and that was there when I started."

Itching Skin?

Stop Scratching! Here Is Quick Ease and Comfort

Now that stainless, powerful, penetrating Moone's Emerald Oil is available at drug stores thousands have found helpful relief from the distressing itching and torture of rashes, eczema, poison ivy and other externally caused skin troubles.

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Get an original bottle of Emerald Oil—Greaseless—Stainless. Money refunded, if not satisfied.



To you, our Graduating Friends, the very best! While you have graduated from Hamlin High School, and other schools of the region, bear in mind that you have not graduated from our friendship.

We feel sure that both of us have gained much in the exchange of friendship during the past years, and hope that these pleasant relations will be continue for a long time to come.

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Come to Waggoner Drug for gifts that rate with with the graduate—for cum laude gifts that give a higher degree of plasure. We have a grand selection for boys and girls—for young men and young women. Some of the more popular numbers are listed below. Many others are on display at our store.

It's good "diplomacy" to give graduation gifts from Waggoner Drug because our gift selection "caps them all!"

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Evening in Paris, Barbara Gould, Coty's, Richard Hudnutt and many other lines of Good Cosmetics
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Fancy Boxed Stationery

For The Boy
Men's Toilet Articles in Separate Pieces or Matched Sets
Monogrammed Sets
Bill Folds

Waggoner Drug
"The Fussy Pill Rollers"

SGT. SCARBOROUGH GETS ARMY AWARD FOR KOREA SERVICE

First Sergeant John E. Scarborough, husband of Mrs. John E. Scarborough of Route 1, Hamlin, was recently awarded the Army Commendation Ribbon for "meritorious service from October 15, 1945, to April 10, 1946, in Southern Korea," by Major General C. E. Hurdis, commander of the Sixth Infantry Division.

At the beginning of this period Sergeant Scarborough was a platoon leader of a separate platoon stationed at Kohung, Korea. He performed his duties, normally those of a commissioned officer, in an outstanding manner, according to word from the public relations department of Scarborough's unit. He displayed unusual tact and resourcefulness in dealing with the civil population of the town, who were in a restless state. Later as first sergeant of his company, he executed his duties in a superior manner. Not only did he greatly enhance his company's efficiency, but he contributed greatly to the comfort and well-being of his men. Sergeant Scarborough's leadership, resourcefulness and devotion to duty were outstanding to reflect great credit upon himself and upon the military service, the release to The Herald concludes.

Scarborough is a member of Company F, 20th Infantry Regiment.

YOUTH CENTER

(concluded from front page)

Refreshments will be served every night the center is open, sponsors declare.

Officials for the center have been named as follows: John H. Osteen, director; Mrs. Loleta Treadwell, co-director; Youth Council: Joe Frank Beavers, Jo Hargrove, Jessie Myers, Mozelle Barnett, Ray Myers and Larry McCoy.

Committees have been appointed as follows:

Games—John Lee Barnett, Lavena Kite, Beverly Ann Harvey and Cecil Sellers.

Publicity—Bettye Sellers, Jo Hargrove, Mozelle Barnett and Patsy Brasher. Jo Hargrove will be reporter.

Decoration — Margaret Ryan, Ida Frances Robertson, Jack Herd and Mickey Scott.

Refreshments — Loleta Treadwell, Maudie Beene, Vernon Sharer and Joe Clements.

Sponsors, who will help in various ways at the center, including arranging for refreshments, are: Mrs. Vernon Stewart, Mrs. Charlie Sellers, Mrs. Otis Smedley, Mrs. W. C. Hargrove, Mrs. H. E. Black, Mrs. Seth Adams, Mrs. John Barnett, Mrs. R. L. Kite, Mrs. O. G. Harvey, Mrs. Garland Coltharp, Mrs. R. M. Myers, Mrs. J. L. Blanton, Mrs. C. French, Mrs. E. Brewer and Mrs. C. Durham.

Other sponsors are needed for the maintained program, and any mothers who are interested in assisting with the program are urged by Osteen to contact him.

The U. S. mint makes it first, but it's up to us to make it last!

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IF YOU ARE PALE, WEAK 'DRAGGED OUT'
due to MONTHLY LOSSES—
You girls and women who lose so much during monthly periods that you are pale, feel tired, weak, 'dragged out' — this may be due to lack of blood-iron.
So start right away—try Lydia E. Pinkham's TABLETS—one of the best and quickest home ways to help build up red blood to get more strength and energy—in such cases.
Pinkham's Tablets are one of the greatest blood-iron tonics you can buy. Just try them for 30 days—then see if you, too, don't remarkably benefit.
Pinkham's Tablets are also famous to relieve monthly pain due to female functional monthly disturbances.
Lydia E. Pinkham's TABLETS

Brookie Pitcock Flies to Bedside of Sick Mother

Private Brookie L. Pitcock arrived at Hamlin last Thursday by plane from his Army camp at Aberdeen Maryland, to be at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. J. S. Pitcock, who was seriously ill. The mother was greatly improved this week.

Brookie, who previously had served 15 months in the Army and was discharged last fall, was recalled into the service in January. He is stationed at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds.

After a few more days' stay with his parents and other relatives, Privite Pitcock will return next week to his base.

Office supplies at The HERALD.

Cooperative Orders for Pineapple Are Delayed

Cooperative order of pineapple sponsored by the marketing committee of the Jones County Home Demonstration Council will not be delivered until about May 29 or 30, according to Mrs. H. F. Brigham marketing chairman.

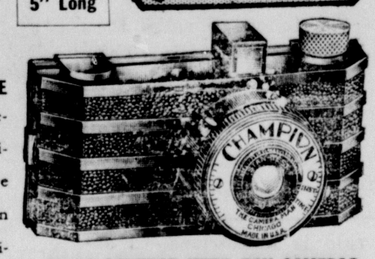
Because of the delay of the importer in furnishing the pineapple, additional group orders may be sent in, or additions may be made to the present groups until May 22, or until 400 dozen are listed.

Orders should be sent to Mrs. H. F. Brigham, Route 3, Stamford. No money is to be collected with the temporary order, but will be collected at a later date when group leaders will be notified.

When a woman says she won't be a minute she is usually right.

The wife has been working in the Red Cross drive for funds ever since they learned how easy it was for her to shake us down for money.

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Wounded American Soldiers at Normandy, France, June 8, 1944—Army Signal Corp Picture.

TO HONOR THE DEAD... LET'S HELP THE LIVING

The increasing importance of veterans' affairs particularly commends the V. F. W. sale of Buddy Poppies this year. In supporting the V. F. W. National Home at Eaton Rapids, Michigan, this poppy sale gives the orphaned children of veterans an opportunity in life equal to that enjoyed by the average American child. These are both splendid purposes which recommend to all the wearing of a Buddy Poppy this year.

—Harry Truman

Never in history have so many given so much in defense of America — and asked so little in return.

To most Americans, World War II ended on VJ-Day. But for nearly 100,000 men confined to government hospitals—and for countless thousands of other disabled veterans whose minds and bodies bear the cruel scars of conflict—World War II will never be over. After 27 years of pain-racked experience and suffering, thousands of disabled AEF veterans of 1917-18 know this as the heart-breaking truth.

In the present difficult period of readjustment, the nation-wide rehabilitation service of the Veterans of Foreign Wars is doing those things for veterans which the government is unable to do in their behalf—those things they cannot do for themselves.

The men who have given their lives — in times of war — to help make America a good country in which to live—in times of peace—sleep restlessly in their honored graves. Their souls will repose in peace only if we who live remain true to their memory; only if we who were untouched by the brutality of war will never let ourselves forget how much we owe to those who did the fighting.

When you wear a Buddy Poppy on Memorial Day, America's disabled and needy veterans will know that your interest in their welfare is practical and sincere. Why is this true? Because every penny of the proceeds of the annual sale of Buddy Poppies is devoted exclusively to veteran welfare and rehabilitation—and to the care and protection of homeless orphans of veterans.

As America's traditional "flower of remembrance," the Buddy Poppy is a symbol of our loyalty to that vast army of war veterans who must face the future with physical and economic handicaps.

Wear a Buddy Poppy on Memorial Day. Be counted among those who believe that practical and sympathetic assistance for the living—rather than imposing monuments—is the finest way to honor the vivid memory of America's hero dead.

HAMLIN POST NO. 6014

Hamlin, Texas



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

JONES COUNTY CLUB BOYS AND GIRLS TO VIE FOR MANY PRIZES IN 1946 PROJECTS

Jones County 4-H Club boys are beginning new club project years with the closing of school terms, and are looking to sharing in a variety of national, state and county contest awards open to ambitious 4-H Club boys and girls as a means of stimulating good demonstrations on the home and farm and developing rural leadership.

This announcement comes to The Herald from H. C. Stanley Jr., Jones County farm agent.

On a national basis there are five contests for girls only, nine contests for both boys and girl, and three contests for boys only, according to 4-H Club specialists of the A. & M. College Extension Service. In addition, the Santa Fe Railroad has offered seven trips for outstanding 4-H Club girls and 12 for outstanding club boys during 1946.

Five contests open to girls only are the dress revue, clothing achievement, canning achievement, food preparation, and girls' record contests. State winners of each will get trips to the National 4-H Club Congress this fall, and county winners will receive medals.

There are two contests for boys and girls in which the state winner receives a trip to the Congress. They are in poultry work and in better methods of using electricity on the farm.

Bonds will be awarded to state winners in contests on farm safety poultry, gardening, frozen foods and dairy foods work, which are open to both boys and girls. County winners will receive medals.

State winners in home beautification and meat animal contests will receive gold watches, with medals for county winners. Both of these are open also to boys and girls. Contests for boys only include dairy production, field crops and soil conservation. Winners will get trips to the National Club Congress.

Members of 4-H Clubs interested in competing for these awards should consult with County Agent Stanley or County Home Agent Hannah Nabors, The Herald is advised.



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Car Owners Counting Upped Insurance Costs

Hamlin area car owners, as well as those of other sections of Texas, are counting the increased costs of automobile insurances rates that became effective May 1 under an order of the State Board of Insurance Commissioners.

Collision premiums on private passenger automobiles increased approximately 40 per cent because of bad loss experience, rapid upswing of accidents since the lifting of gas rationing, increase in repair and labor costs, and inflated value of used cars.

Fire and theft minimum premiums rose from $5 to $6, and the comprehensive minimum premium from $7.50 to $10 on private passenger and commercial equipment. Theft rate on private car insurance increased 25 per cent, and the fire rate remained unchanged.

The wife said she dreamed the other night that we have her $100. So we said inasmuch as she had been a good wife we'd let her keep it.

Judging from recent reports from Germany some of our army of occupationists will be coming home soon without good conduct ribbons.

An adman told us the other day that he heard one of the Gold Dust Twins say "Lux against us."



You have honored your school and your community, and we consider it a privilege to add our congratulations to the many your are receiving on every hand. There may come a time when you can use our services to good advantage.

When that time comes be sure to call upon us. We will give you the best in Value and Service it is possible to get anywhere.

AUTO PARTS AND ACCESSORIES
HOME APPLIANCES

White Auto Store

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The Facts About Jones County's Proposed Hospital And Health Unit

DOES JONES COUNTY NEED A COUNTY HOSPITAL?

1.—The only hospital we have in Jones County is unable to take care of all those who need hospital care.
2.—Hospitals in Abilene and other neighboring towns are unable to take care of the overflow.
3.—Demand for hospital space will become even greater because of increasing hospital insurance and increased hospital mindedness.
4.—If the other proposed hospital in the county is built, the demand for hospital space would still be greater than could be met.

WHAT WOULD A HOSPITAL COST JONES COUNTY?

1.—If $200,000 bonds are voted, they can be sold for 2 per cent or less.
2.—By election order they must be retired in 25 years.
3.—At 2 per cent the interest on the issue would be $50,000.
4.—The total cost of the issue, interest and principal, would be $250,000. Ask your banker to figure it.

FEDERAL AID FOR JONES COUNTY HOSPITAL

1.—Senate Bill No. 191, which provides Federal funds to help build county hospitals, is pending in Congress now.
2.—The election order is not a mandate on your Commissioners Court to issue $200,000; it is a mandate to issue NOT IN EXCESS of this amount.
3.—If Senate Bill No. 191 is passed, your Commissioners Court will not issue more bonds than are needed, only that part which, combined with Federal aid, will build and equip your proposed hospital.

WHAT WOULD A COUNTY HOSPITAL COST THE PROPERTY OWNER?

1.—The cost to property owner would not exceed eight cents on the $100 assessed valuation—80 cents on the $1,000.
2.—The County's assessed valuation is now $15,000,000.
3.—An eight-cent levy would yield $12,000 per year—more than enough to take care of principal and interest. Ask your local banker to figure it.

COST TO PATIENTS IN COUNTY HOSPITAL

1.—Your proposed county hospital would not be a charity institution.
2.—Patients unable to pay would be hospitalized in your county hospital. The county now must look after charity cases in other hospitals at a greater cost than a county hospital would require.
3.—Your proposed county hospital would be a non-profit institution, and as such would afford rates as low as operating costs would permit.
4.—Dr. Warren P. Morrill, Director of Research for American Hospital Association, states in MEDICAL ECONOMICS that institutions such as your hospital can and do operate cheaper than privately owned institutions, and as a result can offer better rates.

SUCCESS OF NEIGHBORING COUNTY HOSPITALS

1.—Haskell County Hospital has been self-supporting since its opening in 1939.
2.—Haskell County is well pleased with its hospital; their only objection is that it is not large enough to care for their needs.
3.—Rates have been less or comparable to rates of neighbor hospitals.
4.—Write or ask for information about Haskell County's hospital to verify for yourself the statements above.
5.—Callahan County has a hospital such as yours would be; inquire about its success.

LOCATION OF YOUR COUNTY HOSPITAL

1.—Objections have been raised to the location of your proposed hospital. Why?
2.—Any institution serving all the people of the county should be centrally located. This you said when you located your county seat, your courthouse and your county jail.
3.—Should you elect to have a county hospital, it would not be Anson's hospital any more than the courthouse is Anson's courthouse. It would be your hospital. located centrally for the benefit of all of Jones County.

HOW YOUR PROPOSED HOSPITAL WOULD BE ADMINISTERED

1.—Your hospital would be administered by a board of six managers, representing the different sections of the county and appointed by your Commissioners Court.
2.—Your Board of Managers would elect a superintendent whose qualifications are prescribed by law.

YOUR HOSPITAL WOULD BE AN OPEN STAFF HOSPITAL

1.—Your hospital would be open to any licensed medical doctor.
2.—No doctor would office in the hospital, unless it would be your director of a County Health Unit, in event you choose to have such a unit. This director, even though by law would be a licensed physician, would not be in competition with other doctors as his time would be devoted to preventive activities rather than curative.
3.—No doctor would be granted privileges not afforded to every other doctor.

WOULD YOU HAVE A COUNTY HEALTH UNIT?

1.—A County Health Unit would be optional.
2.—Construction plans provide facilities for such a unit.
3.—Trends throughout the nation indicate increased pressure for health units.

THE WORK OF A COUNTY HEALTH UNIT

1.—Vital statistics analysis.
2.—Communicable disease control:
A.—Acute. B.—Chronic:
1.—Tuberculosis
2.—Venereal Diseases.
3.—Maternal hygiene.
4.—Infant hygiene.
5.—Pre-school hygiene.
6.—School hygiene.
7.—Special studies.
8.—Sanitation.
9.—Public health education.

The facts you have read above have been assimilated with the intent of giving information to the citizens of Jones County in order that we may better be able to decide how to vote on June 1. Unfortunately, some have tried to cloud the issue by exaggerating the cost, making accusations that Anson wants the county to build her a hospital, and other such prejudicing statements. Apparently these same people have not tried to get a true picture of the need for hospitalization, the costs, how well county hospitals have fared in other counties, and the benefits all the people of Jones County would receive.

You are earnestly invited to investigate for yourself any statement that has been made in this effort to furnish you information. No attempt has been made to influence you either way. You are able to decide for yourself this issue.

CAST YOUR VOTE JUNE 1

This Ad Sponsored by Anson Lions Club

COTTON SURPLUS FAST VANISHING AS OUTLOOK IMPROVES

Fear of a cotton surplus, which has so long haunted cotton raisers of the Hamlin region and other Cotton Belt farmers, is vanishing as the so-called surplus rapidly disappears, with many better grades of lint already scarce, according to A. L. Ward, educational director of the National Cottonseed Products Association.

"Combined with the highest prices in two decades, the American cotton supply situation offers farmers in 1946 the strongest encouragement for increased production that they have had in many years," he pointed out.

"Farmers, who recall the way in which so-called surpluses of corn, wheat and other crops became shortages, can easily foresee the possibility that cotton supplies may soon be insufficient to meet the demand.

"Cottonseed products, especially oil and feed products, are critically scarce and have been for a number of years; and the need is acute for increased production to meet American and foreign requirements for meats and fats."

Ward stated that value per acre of cotton was far above the average for other crops in most cotton states last season, when yields were very low and prices less favorable than today; and that, on the average, cotton is both the most dependable and valuable crop that most farmers can grow.

From the standpoint of both income and the need for its products, the outlook for cotton is very favorable this season where farmers make it the keystone of a balanced farming and livestock program, and follow practices that will increase yields and lower production costs, he added.

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COTTON CHAMBRAY



Pat McGehee, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Dan McGehee of Mississippi, models this cotton chambray at the congressional fashion show held in Washington in honor of the 1946 Maid of Cotton. A Dorris Varnum original, the lavender chambray is one of the hits of the new season. The black embroidery, just below the waistline, hints of the hip fullness that grandmother achieved with hoops and starched petticoats.

Several Legionnaires to Attend District Confab

At least six or eight delegates from the Keefer-Patterson Post of the American Legion at Hamlin are planning to attend the District 17 convention of the American Legion when it convenes June 22 and 23 at Mineral Wesls, Joe Culbertson, post commander, stated Wednesday.

Dates for the last convention of the district before the state convention were made a week later than previously announced, Culbertson declared.

Hanging Around in the Way.

An old bachelor lived alone for years. Finally he took a bride, but after a few months she left him. The O. B. took it philosophically.

"Anyhow," he consoled himself, "she was always getting in the way while I was cooking."

Nature provides a compensation for the early decline of our physical forces by increasing our mental abilities with the advancing years.

Osteen Returns From Big Baptist Convention

Rev. John H. Osteen, pastor of the Hamlin First Baptist Church, returned Wednesday by plane from Miami, Florida, where he had been attending annual sessions of the Southern Baptist Convention. He had left the preceding Friday week. Trip both ways was made by plane.

Supplying in the pulpit during the new pastor's absence was Rev. William Weeks of Abilene. A native of England, and former missionary to South American countries, Rev. Weeks was given good hearings at both services Sunday week and at the only service in the church Sunday morning.

The Come-Back Wasn't Shown.

It was a tense scene in the film. The British audience sat enthralled. Suddenly the hero slapped the heroine the fac.

In the stunned silence which followed a little voice piped up.

"Mammy," it said, "why doesn't sh slosh him back like you do?"

WEATHER REVOLTS

Again, the weather in West Texas failed to run true to set rules or adages. It didn't rain Sunday.

There is a saying that if rain falls on Easter Sunday, rain will fall on each of the seven following Sundays.

Well, rain fell in Hamlin on Easter Sunday this year, and the four following Sundays experienced rainfall. Other West Texas sections reported rain, but not so in Hamlin.

Commie Crow Here on Furlough with Parents

Commie Alfred Crow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Judge L. Crow o fHamlin, is home on a furlough from Custer Hospital at Battle Creek, Michigan.

Alfred expects to receive a discharge soon from the hospitals, after having spent 14 months already in them due to leg wounds sustained in fight in Germany.

Man Is Wrong Anyway.

If a man runs after money, he's money-mad; if he keeps it, he's a capitalist; if he spends it, he's a playboy; if he doesn't get it, he's a ne'er-do-well; if he doesn't try to get it, he lacks ambition; and if he accumulates it after a lifetime of hard work, people will call him a fool who never got anything out of life.

Death Came to the Fiend.

"If you refuse me," he swore, "I shall die." She refused him
Sixty years later he died.

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GAIN OF 21 SHOWN IN INITIAL COUNT IN SCHOLASTIC CENSUS

Finishing touches are being put to the scholastic rolls for the Hamlin Independent School District, according to Superintendent of Schools I. R. Huchingson.

A net gain of 21 students for the 1946-47 school term has been registered in preliminary counts, but the local school authorities feel that quite a number have been overlooked. They ask that parents who are in doubt whether their children of school age have been enumerated in the current scholastic census to please call the school office within the next few days.

Parents are reminded that every certified student enumerated in the district means a minimum of $30 for per capita apportionment to the school district, besides probably other payments made by the state for assistance in local operations.

Enumeration of white children for the next term totals 575, and colored students total 99, making a total resident scholastic roll of 674. Last year's enumeration totaled 653.

One less white child has been found in the current count, and 22 more colored students than last year, school officials declare.

Total of 674 scholastics, Superintendent Huchingson explains, does not include transfers or other students who have been schooled in the local system. Neither does the count take into consideration the scholastics of districts consolidated recently.

A Woman's Mouth Did It.

Papa Adam and little Abel were strolling near the Garden of Eden when Papa Adam stopped, and pointing to an attractive spot among the trees, said:

"That is where we lived until mama ate us out of house and home."

BOZO BUTTS—THEY DRIVE HIM NUTS — By RUBE GOLDBERG



REG'LAR FELLERS — That Would Take A Flock Of Storks — By Gene Byrnes



Raise $1,667 Famine Fund.

University of Texas students at Austin in an impromptu campus drive to raise funds for famine relief in Europe and Asia last Thursday had contributed $1,667 to the cause. The money will be forwarded to the church committee of relief in New York to purchase food for immediate shipment overseas.

FIGHT ON COTTON PESTS WOULD HELP SEVENTH OF CROP

Because of growing infestation of cotton in this section of the state, Hamlin area cotton raisers are urged to make ample provision early for combatting pests in this crucial year when maximum production is sorely needed for lint and cottonseed products. A concerted drive against the pests is being publicized by the National Cottonseed Products Association. A series of timely advertisements is currently being carried in The Hamlin Herald by the Mid-West Cooperative Oil Mill of Hamlin.

The Texas farmer who expects to make six bales of cotton has to plant seven, statistics compiled recently reveal. The extra bale is for the insects. Over the years one-seventh is the average toll the insects have taken of the Texas farmers' crop. When we total up what this means to Texas as a whole, here are the figures:

Lint	624,537 bales
Seed and home feed	68,200 tons
Meal and cake	101,600 tons
Cottonseed oil	35,400 tons
Cottonseed hulls	57,100 tons
Linters	58,800 bales

Surplus Available for Vets.

Farm and construction machinery with total valuation of $12,000,000, and offered to certified veterans only, tops a surplus sales list as announced by the War Assets Administration.

Precaution Comes First.

"Is this the fire station?"

"Yes."

"I have had a new rock garden built, and I've put in some new plants, but—"

"Where's the fire?"

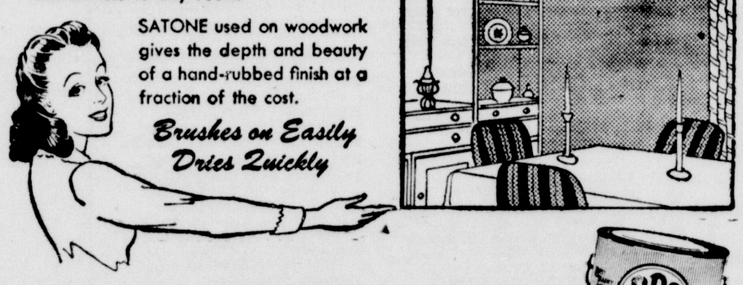
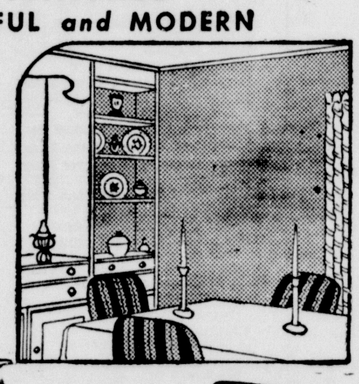
"Some of these new plants are very expensive, and—"

"Look here, what you want is the flower shop."

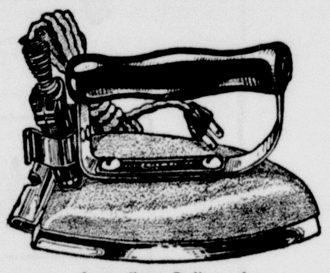
"No, I don't. I was coming to that in a minute. You see, my neighbor's house is on fire, and they asked me to call you, but I don't want you clumsy firemen stomping all over my garden when you come here."

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See your dealer or gas company about Priority Purchase Plan for securing early delivery.
LONE STAR GAS COMPANY

LITTLE ALARM FELT IN THIS AREA OVER POLIO EPIDEMICS

Little alarm over the epidemics of poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) raging in some sections of Texas has been reflected in the Hamlin area. However, because one never knows when the dreaded disease may strike, The Herald presents the following release from the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis for consideration by its readers in the interest of public service.

What can we do to prevent infantile paralysis? The anwser is: Practically nothing!

Very little is known about the disease. We know the cause—a virus—but not the cure. We know it is communicable, that many persons may harbor the virus without presenting any clinical symptoms of the disease.

Certain precautions, however, are recommended by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

If polio strikes, the Foundation urges, continue with normal activities. Schools, theaters and other places of congregation can remain open at the discretion of the health authorities, but unnecessary mingling with crowds should be avoided.

Extreme fatigue, sudden and prolonged chilling make the individual an easier victim. Swimming in polluted waters and removal of tonsils during epidemics should be avoided. Flies and other insects should be kept away from food. Sanitation is a "must."

First symptoms of polioymelitis may be some minor discomfort: Headache, unexplained fever, a cold, even an upset stomach. If any of these appear, a physician should be called immediately. Expert medical care may prevent crippling deformities.

Above all, the Foundation adds, don't worry about expense. Foundation chapters are pledged to see that no victim of infantile paralysis goes without care and treatment for lack of funds, regardless of age, race, creed or color.

When a case appears, be sure that the nearest Foundation chapter is notified.

Practice Makes Perfect.

"Your cough is much improved this morning," said the cheerful doctor.

"I'll take the credit," the irate patient replied. "I've been practicing all night."

Wish somone could tell us what we're so doggone mad about when we awake from a good night's sleep.

Some women take after their offspring so much it's a wonder they don't accompany them on the piano.

OFFICIAL COTTON GINNINGS FOR AREA COUNTIES BY DECADES AND YEARS SINCE 1936

County—	1906	1916	1926	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Callahan	17,596	8,223	11,046	4,980	3,995	1,370	2,548	4,163	4,209	4,222	2,920	2,991	1,209
Dickens	1,096	7,337	39,047	9,804	37,325	26,527	11,594	13,053	33,939	22,724	18,049	16,770	13,853
Fisher	15,078	18,881	48,732	21,058	43,629	28,120	18,796	27,982	34,715	25,214	16,832	28,097	20,454
Haskell	10,801	25,289	53,752	20,148	46,806	31,918	19,942	39,582	47,741	48,318	23,587	39,302	30,672
Jones	36,504	34,545	84,088	36,640	67,807	36,967	24,442	54,161	61,149	53,246	28,396	43,869	42,608
Kent	2,405	4,273	18,031	5,768	10,776	8,316	3,805	4,436	11,794	6,618	3,192	3,864	5,106
Nolan	9,807	10,722	25,481	16,031	27,179	9,107	10,208	13,848	20,990	13,828	12,782	15,986	12,840
Scurry	14,421	13,132	40,753	15,186	47,161	27,366	20,575	23,035	40,774	23,838	18,698	33,280	17,054
Stonewall	7,332	8,902	23,937	5,454	15,171	9,118	5,641	7,180	10,273	7,375	3,432	5,877	3,112
Taylor	41,739	26,003	53,897	22,707	32,588	12,069	16,248	23,054	23,663	23,909	16,389	21,039	13,244
Throckmorton	7,264	2,725	8,414	2,759	2,823	1,275	550	3,739	4,615	6,323	3,053	2,073	1,000

Sweetwater to Vote on $260,000 School Bonds

An election on a proposed $260,000 bond issue to repair, renovate, enlarge and buy equipment for Sweetwater's school system was called by the city's school board last week, and the election date was set for Tuesday, May 28.

Little difficulty was expected by proponents of the bond issue in its passage.

For quick results, try the HERALD Classified Ads.

Hard on the Furniture.

The usual gossip was being enjoyed over a back garden fence near London.

"Did you hear about the row at No. 17 last night?" asked the woman at No. 3.

"No, what was it?" asked her neighbor at No. 5 eagerly.

"Well, she broke a chair over her husband's head, but I hear she's very sorry for it now."

"Pity she didn't think before she did it then."

"Yes," signed No. 3. "It was one of her best chairs."

Stamford REA Group Gets Approval on Loan

Stamford Electric Cooperative, Inc. was earmarked for a loan of $200,000 last week-end for extension of facilities of the regional REA system.

The Rural Electrification Administration approved loans totaling $11,600,000 to 47 rural power cooperatives in 24 states to finance electrical power facilities.

An old maid is a girl who misses a lot of things, but never Mrs. herself.

Two Hamlin Men Sell Cattle

Two Hamlin livestock men were among consignors at the livestock auction last Tuesday at Abilene. The market was 50 cents to $1.50 higher on some classes of butcher cattle and steady to strong on stockers. Demand was good. E. M. Halford of Hamlin sold 28 mixed cattle Tuesday, and Ralph Hallum of Hamlin sold 11 mixed cattle.

We've often wondered who the poor fish was who started the superstition that Friday was an unlucky day.

FISHING AT HAMLIN LAKES REPORTED GOOD RECENTLY

Fishing has been good the past several days at Hamlin's three lakes, and there have been plenty of out-of-town visitors to augment the local bevy of fishermen trying their luck.

Last week's record bass catch made by Don Neill of Flat Top has done much to put the fishing bug into nimrods hereabouts. Don landed a bass that weighed nine pounds four ounces—a record for bass caught in Hamlin lakes.

Lake Keeper F. E. Cobble states that a blue catfish weighing 15½ pounds was nabbed last week by a local fisherman, and a drum weighing nine pounds two ounces was landed several days ago. These catches were made from Moore Lake, two miles west of Hamlin.

H. B. Martin Jr. landed an eight-pound bass last week. Other good catches have been reported by Garland Coltharp and Jimmy Simmons, according to Cobble.

A message to VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II

FACTS ON YOUR RIGHTS IN BUYING SURPLUS PROPERTY

To improve veterans' priorities in the purchase of war surpluses, Congress has amended the Surplus Property Act. So that you as a veteran may have the facts direct, the War Assets Administration is taking this means to address you.

WAR ASSETS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

May 3, 1946

TO ALL VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II:

As a veteran you are anxious to get all the benefits you can from war surplus. It is our desire to give you every possible preference, under the law, in purchasing the items you want.

By amendment to the Surplus Property Act of 1944, the War Assets Administrator has been authorized to reserve certain items for exclusive sale to you. They are listed below, but in fairness, we must tell you that quantities are not large, the demand is tremendous and you may not always be able to buy exactly what you want. Every veteran, however, will have the satisfaction of knowing that all items placed on the reserve or "set-aside" list are going to veterans like himself.

Subject to availability, you may purchase these items for your personal use, as well as for your business, professional, or agricultural enterprise. You may be sure that only World War II veterans will be entitled to purchase them.

The amended Act contains a second provision that further improves your buying position for your business, professional or agricultural enterprise. For items not included in this list, only Federal agencies buying for their own use may purchase ahead of you. This gives you, for business use, an advantage over State and local governments, tax-supported institutions, certified non-veteran small business enterprises and all other potential buyers except Federal agencies. For a specified period after the Federal agencies have had an opportunity to purchase surplus, all available items which do not appear on the reserve list will be available to you to purchase for your own business.

Under the amended Act you still must be certified to purchase war surplus, as thousands have done since the original Act was passed. The certification procedure has now been simplified, as explained at the right.

The War Assets Administration will make every effort to see to it that you receive the benefits Congress intends you to have. Your patience and cooperation will aid in the difficult task we face in trying to satisfy the needs of every veteran who wants to buy surplus property.

THE ADMINISTRATOR

What is set aside for you

The property listed at right is reserved for exclusive sale to veterans of World War II. These are the items in greatest demand by veterans. Large quantities are not available. You may have to wait some time before purchases can be made. So many veterans may already be ahead of you that you may not be able to make your purchase. But you may be sure that *only* veterans will have the opportunity to buy "set-aside" items.

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D7 Caterpillar—61-90 DBHP or equal
D8 Caterpillar—91-140 DBHP or equal
TD9 International—36-45 DBHP or equal
TD14 International—46-60 DBHP or equal
TD6 International—46-60 DBHP or equal

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HOW YOU CAN QUALIFY FOR YOUR PRIORITY

If You Are Already Certified:

Thousands of veterans of World War II have already been certified to purchase surplus items. Such certifications remain valid and may be used to purchase items for which you are certified whether the item is on your reserve or "set-aside" list or on other surplus lists. You will be notified either by mail or by public local announcement where and when to make purchases.

If you are not certified, or if you wish to change your certification to items on the "set-aside" list:

STEP 1. Take your honorable discharge from the armed services of World War II and apply at any of the offices listed below for a veteran's certificate for the item you desire.

STEP 2. Wait for mail or local public notice that the item for which you are certified is available and may be purchased. You may be sure that you *will* be notified and that you do not need to call in person to check the availability of the items you wish. You will be told where and when to buy.

STEP 3. Make sure that you follow up promptly the notice of availability when it reaches you by either mail or public notice.

WAR ASSETS ADMINISTRATION CERTIFYING OFFICES

Albany, New York—112 State St.
Albuquerque, New Mexico—103½ W. Central
Allentown, Pennsylvania—512-514 Hamilton Street
Atlanta 3, Georgia—699 Ponce de Leon Bldg.
Baltimore 2, Maryland—1114 O'Sullivan Bldg.
Birmingham 1, Alabama—Comer Bldg.
Boise, Idaho—Capitol Securities Bldg.
Boston 8, Mass.—1 Court Street
Bridgeport 3, Connecticut—144 Golden Hill Street
Brooklyn, N. Y.—16 Court St.
Buffalo, N. Y.—808 Rand Bldg.
Butte, Mont.—310 Meyer Bldg.
Canton 2, Ohio—717 First National Bank Bldg.
Chicago 6, Illinois—226 W. Jackson Boulevard
Charleston 1, West Virginia—612 Atlas Bldg.
Charlotte 2, North Carolina—400 Charlotte Law Bldg.
Chattanooga, Tennessee—910 James Bldg.
Cincinnati 2, Ohio—38-40 E. Fourth Street
Cleveland 14, Ohio—East Wing Lobby, Union Commerce Bldg
Columbia 56, South Carolina—206 Waters Bldg.
Columbus 15, Ohio—1037 North High Street
Dallas 1, Texas—507 Mercantile Bank Bldg.
Davenport, Iowa—712 Kahl Bldg.
Dayton 2, Ohio—129 S. Ludlow Street
Decatur, Illinois—339 Standard Office Bldg.
Denver 2, Colorado—311 Midland Savings Bldg.
Des Moines 9, Iowa—320 Liberty Bldg.
Detroit 2, Michigan—424 Boulevard Bldg.
Duluth, Minnesota—310 Christie Bldg.
Eau Claire, Wisconsin—128½ Graham Avenue
El Paso, Texas—410 Caples Bldg.
Erie, Pennsylvania—808 Commerce Bldg.
Evansville 9, Indiana—1 Koenig Bldg.
Fargo, North Dakota—207 Walker Bldg.
Fort Wayne 2, Indiana—434 Utility Bldg.
Fort Worth, Texas—Texas & Pacific Bldg.
Grand Rapids 2, Michigan—510 Keeler Bldg.
Green Bay, Wisc.—208 Main St.
Hartford 4, Conn.—119 Ann St.
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania—713 Blackstone Bldg.
Houston 2, Texas—1006 Electric Bldg.
Indianapolis 4, Indiana—1027 Circle Tower Bldg.
Jackson 1, Mississippi—1101 Tower Bldg.
Jacksonville 1, Florida—314 W. Monroe Street
Kansas City, Missouri—500 Mutual Bldg.
Knoxville, Tenn.—Fidelity Bankers Trust Bldg.—Rm. 411
Little Rock, Arkansas—312 Pyramid Bldg.
Los Angeles, California—1031 South Broadway
Louisville 2, Kentucky—200 Hoffman Bldg.
Lowell, Mass.—8 Merrimac Street
Madison 3, Wisconsin—119 E. Washington Ave.
Manchester, New Hampshire—813 Elm Street
Memphis 1, Tennessee—1821 Sterick Bldg.
Miami 32, Florida—Congress Bldg.—Room 701
Milwaukee 1, Wisconsin—161 W. Wisconsin Avenue
Minneapolis, Minnesota—720 Hodgson Bldg.
Montpelier, Vt.—84 State St.
Nashville 3, Tennessee—320 Stahlman Bldg.
Newark, New Jersey—20 Washington Place
New Haven 10, Connecticut—152 Temple Street
New Orleans 12, Louisiana—407 Canal Bldg.
New York 1, New York—40 Wall Street
Norfolk 10, Va.—319 Wainwright Bldg. (Sub Office of Richmond)
Oklahoma City 2, Oklahoma—324 Key Bldg.
Omaha, Nebraska—Woodmen of the World Bldg.
Orlando, Florida—201 Palm Arcade Bldg.
Peoria, Illinois—531 Alliance Life Bldg.
Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania—1612 Market Street
Phoenix, Arizona—426 Security Bldg.
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania—Bessemer Bldg.
Portland 3, Maine—142 High St.
Portland, Ore.—815 Bedell Bldg.
Providence 3, Rhode Island—631 Industrial Trust Bldg.
Reading, Pennsylvania—901 Colonial Trust Bldg. (Sub Office of Allentown)
Richmond 19, Virginia—617 E. Franklin Street
Roanoke, Virginia—614 State & City Bank Bldg. (Sub Office of Richmond)
Rochester, New York—725 Commerce Bldg.
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New Assistant Pastor At First Baptist Church To Take Charge Soon

Hamlin First Baptist Church added an assistant pastor to the staff of the official family last week during the absence of Rev. John H. Osteen, pastor for two months. The new man already is taking things in charge. He will be on the job probably next week-end, it is announced.

John Hillery II is the new man. He discovered America Saturday afternoon about 1:00 o'clock at the Hendricks Memorial Hospital, Abilene. On arrival the youngster tipped the scales at six pounds six ounces. He is the first-born for the new Baptist pastor and wife.

The father, advised of the newcomer while attending the Southern Baptist Convention at Miami, Florida, took a plane home Monday and arrived on the Abilene scene Monday night.

Mother and son are doing well, the pastor reports, and they are receiving visitors at the Abilene hospital.

There is one advantage to being poor. The poor man has but little the worry about.



All Baba and the Forty Thieves

LAND OWNERS OF AREA ANSWERING QUIZ FOR SURVEY

Several Hamlin area farmers have received land ownership questionnaires submitted by the United States Department of Agriculture Bureau of Agricultural Economics. About one out of every 10 Texas land owns is scheduled to receive the questionnaires.

This form, the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service has been informed, will be the basis on which up-to-date information as to opportunities on the land will be provided for veterans and for studies on various farm ownership problems.

It will be the first survey on this subject since immediately after World War I, according to Dr. L. P. Rabbard of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station's Division of Farm and Ranch Economics, who is representing Texas A. & M. College on the project.

Hamlin area farmers are advised that individual replies will be held in strict confidence. All land owners who will fill out and return the questionnaire will receive a copy of the final report.

County Agent H. C. Stanley Jr. of Jones County has received information copies of the survey form through the Texas Extension Service, and he may be consulted on points arising in filling out the forms, the bureau explains.

He Was No Politician.

Some very mean man has said: "There are three kinds of women: The beautiful, the intelligent and the majority."



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CITY'S BLIND MAN TO TAKE UP TYPING ON NEW MACHINE

Hamlin's blind popcorn vendor is going to take up typing—if efforts to get a tiny Braille typewriter are successful.

Will Andress, who has been blind for 18 years, has never let his handicap get him down—and isn't planning on changing his attitude about everyday living now.

This week Andress received a clipping from a California newspaper describing a recently perfected tiny vest pocket Braille typewriter that is being made available to blind people through a San Diego Lions Club.

He elicited the cooperation of the Hamlin Lions Club, and Wednesday the civic group's secretary put a letter in the mail that, it is hoped, will help secure a machine for Andress.

The Braille writer, which Dr. Alfred E. Banks, its inventor, calls a "fountain pen for the blind," weighs only 18 ounces. It is 7½ inches long, 4½ inches wide and one inch thick. It has six keys and a space bar and punches the raised Braille on a strip of tape three-quarters of an inch wide.

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COMMERCIAL GRAIN PROCESSORS PUT ON RATIONS AS PART OF FAMINE RELIEF DRIVE

Hamlin area citizens are practicing food conservation practices in many instances around the home in order to help relieve the famine situation of the world, but further measures can be carried out in other homes and at public eating places. Taking out on one's plate just the food he will consume, then eating everything on his plate, it the principal basis of food conservation as far as the individual is concerned.

However, industrialists and business concerns have been given a definite part in the overall program of food conservation. A six-point program for famine relief to be carried out in addition to voluntary conservation efforts has been announced by Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson, according to a report received from the United States Department of Agriculture. "These measures," he said, "are taken after consultation with the governments of Canada and the United Kingdom, in which it was indicated they would work with this nation toward the two common objectives of increasing total relief shipments of grain promptly and giving priority to areas abroad most urgently in need of special aid."

The six measures follow:

1.—Millers are required to reduce their production of flour for domestic consumption to 75 per cent of the quantity distributed in the corresponding months of 1945. In addition to making more wheat available for export, this amendment to War Food Order 144 is designed to bring about more equitable distribution of wheat among millers.

2.—Under the same amendment, food manufacturers are required to limit the use of wheat in the manufacture of products for domestic human consumption to 75 per cent of the quantity used in the corresponding months of 1945.

3.—Effective May 1, millers and food manufacturers were limited to 21 days' inventory of wheat. After that date no miller or food manufacturer may use wheat unless quantities of wheat or flour equivalent in excess of this amount are offered to the Commodity Credit Corporation or export.

4.—The USDA is offering a bonus of 30 cents a bushel on wheat delivered under the certificate plan by May 25. To be eligible for this bonus a prdoucer must select a date for payment between the date of delivery and June 15, 1946.

5.—The USDA will buy 50,000,000 bushels of corn from producers for which they will be paid a bonus of 30 cents a bushel above the market price on the date of delivery for corn sold the CCC.

6.—The USDA is offering to buy an unlimited amount of oatmeal from millers in the U. S. to make available additional food for relief purposes.

Some Do and Some Don't.

"Oh, what a strange looking cow!" exclaimed the sweet young Alpha Phi from Chicago. "But why hasn't she any horns?"

"Well, you see," explained the farmer, "some cows is born without horns and never had any, and others shed theirs, and some we dehorn, and some breeds ain't supposd to have horns at all. There's a lot of reasons why some cows ain't got horns but the reason why that cow ain't got horns is because she ain't a cow—she's a horse!"

Mrs. J. S. Hubbard, 63, Wife of Veteran County Baptist Preacher Dies

Mrs. J. S. Hubbard, old-timer of the Hamlin section, died Thursday evening about 8:00 o'clock in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Noble Duncan, at Abilene, where she had been visiting. She was 63 years old.

Mrs. Hubbard was the wife of the late Rev. J. S. Hubbard, former pastor of the Neinda Baptist Church. Rev. Hubbard died in 1936.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Duncan of Abilene, and Mrs. V. G. Hodges and Mrs. Johnny Wood both of Hamlin; and five sons, Loy Hubbard of Abilene, Cloda Hubbard of Levelland, and Travis, Herschell and Joe Hubbard, all of Hamlin.

Funeral for Mrs. Hubbard was held Friday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock at Neinda Baptist Church, south of Hamlin, under the direction of Rev. A. B. Thornton of Anson and Rev. Burleson, pastor of the church. Barrow Funeral Home of Hamlin was in charge of arrangements, and interment was in the Neinda Cemetery.

Mardell Lynch Leads in Abilene Revival Session

Mardell Lynch, minister of the Hamlin Church of Christ, has been doing the preaching the past week in a series of evangelistic services at the North Park Church of Christ in Abilene.

O. B. Proctor, minister of the Abilene church, reports good size crowds have attended, and that Bro. Lynch has brought some forceful messages.

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We feel confident that a bright future is in store for each of you, basing our optimism on what you have done in the past.

May we look forward to seeing you from time to time? Remember, you are always welcome at our friendly drug store!

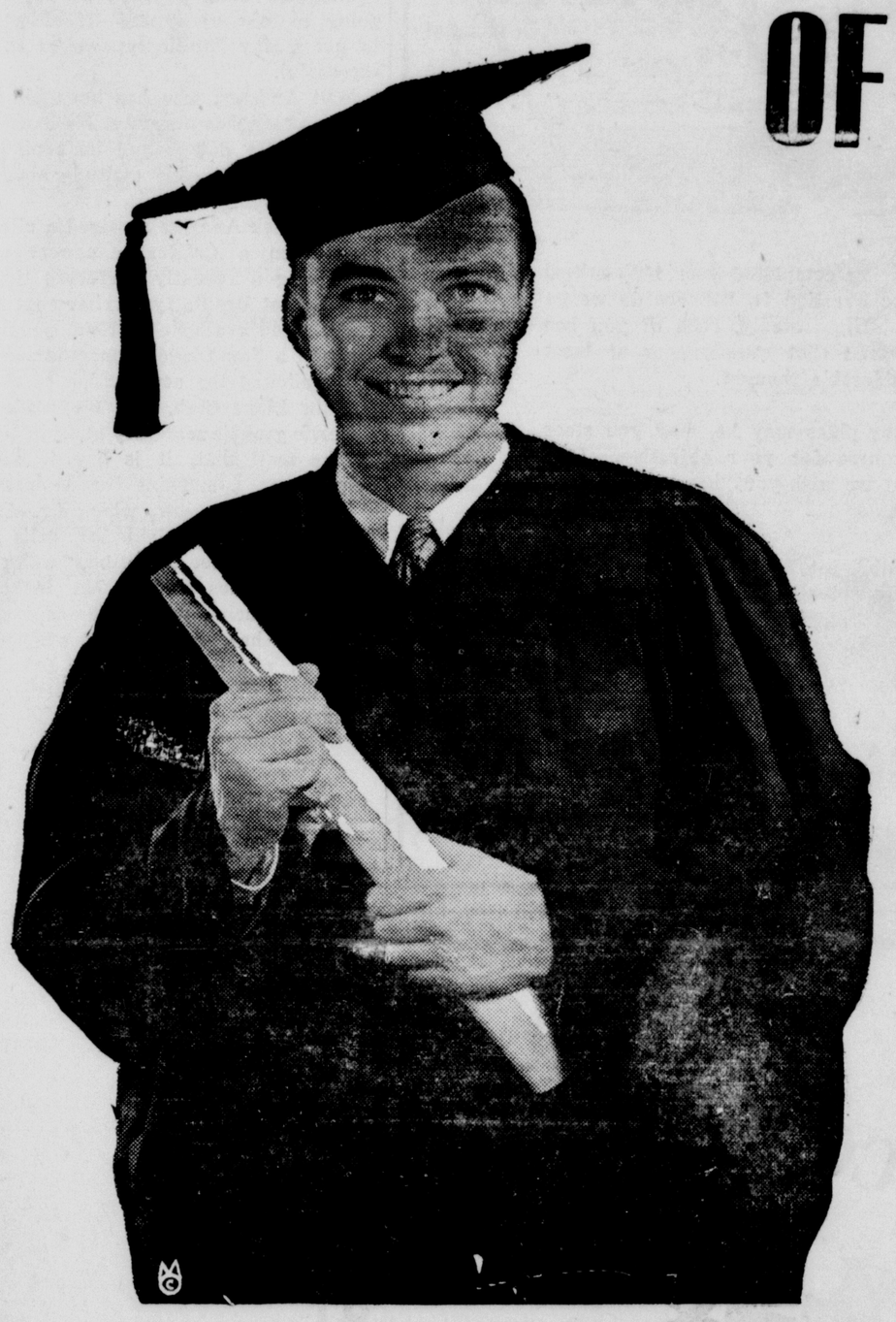
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Harvest of Good Wheat Crop Speeds

AVERAGE YIELD FOR AREA IS 12 BUSHELS PER ACRE—TWO CENT PRICE RISE TABBED

Wheat harvest was beginning to hit its stride middle of this week in the Hamlin area as combines were humming in every direction from this Northwest Jones County metropolis. With clear skies for the past several days, the dark greens of the wheat fields were turning to tans and browns, meaning that the grain was getting ready for the sickles.

About 15 cars of wheat had been shipped by the four major buyers when The Herald went to press at noon Thursday.

Price of this year's grain advanced two cents from last week's quotation, making No. 1 grain bring $1.72 on the Hamlin market. Grades were holding up much better than was expected several days ago, practically everything that has been brought in easily passing the No. 1 standard. In fact, a number of loads of wheat has graded 64 pounds per bushel with a low moisture content of 9½ per cent.

Yield of the wheat continues to show up considerably above estimates made even two weeks ago following the first rains for the area. Average per acre yields are around 12 bushels. Some fields are yielding as high as 20 bushels per acre.

Observers still believe that a crop of around 245 cars will be made from this year's wheat crop.

Sweetwater Woman Enters Congress Field To Make Eight in Race

There cannot be more than eight candidates for Congress from the 17th District this year. Deadline for filing by candidates closed Monday night.

Just a few hours before the deadline the first woman ever to file for a congressional office from this district was the eighth to enter the running. She is Mrs. Nina J. Headrick of Sweetwater.

Gib Sandefer of Breckenridge was No. 7 to enter the race. He filed for a place on the ballot last Saturday.

Representative Sam Russell of Stephenville, incumbent, is not seeking reelection. Besides Mrs. Headrick and Sandefer, others previously announced are: Robert B. Herring of Breckenridge, Ted Miles of Stamford, William W. Blanton of Albany, Bob Wagstaff of Abilene, Omar Burleson of Anson and Bryan Bradbury of Abilene.

Woody and Buddy Scott Buy Panhandle Station

Woody and Buddy Scott this week became owners of the Panhandle Service Station operated for some time by Aubrey Miller, south of the Santa Fe depot.

The concern will be known as the Scott Brothers Service Station. The new owners will continue to handle Panhandle petroleum products and a complete line of popular brands of motor oils.



DIDN'T GET AWAY!

Don Neill of Flat Top is the "champeen" fisherman for this season and for all time as far as bass caught out of Hamlin lakes are concerned!

Fishing at the Moore Lake, two miles west of Hamlin Friday, with an artificial fly on his line as an appetizer, Neill landed a bass that tipped the scales at nine pounds four ounces.

Record bass catch in the Hamlin lakes had previously been held by B. B. Caldwell of Hamlin, who eight years ago landed a bass that weighed nine pounds two ounces.

Neill, recently discharged from the Navy after eight years of service, has made a number of other nice catches this season.

BUDDY POPPIES TO BE SOLD IN HAMLIN BY VFW SALESMEN

Saturday will mark the opening sales of Buddy Poppies in Hamlin, when two dozen women and girls will be on the streets pinning the little red flowers on coat lapels and shirts and dresses that will be reminders that the less fortunate veterans of war are not being forgotten.

This is the announcement that comes from W. A. Cassle, chairman of the poppy sales that are being sponsored by the Hamlin post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Sales forces will be on the streets of the city all day Saturday. Distribution of the poppies will continue all nxt week, about an hour and a half each morning and two hours each afternoon being devoted to the sales.

Funds derived from contributions made when the poppies are sold will be used for the aid, relief and comfort of needy veterans and of men serving with the armed forces, their dependents, widows or orphans; for maintenance and expansion of the VFW National Home for orphans of veterans; hospital or individual assistance and entertainment for needy veteran and service patients and their dependents; rehabilitation, welfare and service work, including Veterans Administration laison service; necessary expenses for military funerals for deceased ex-service men; and acquisition, improvement and maintenance of burial plots and decoration of graves of veterans and service men.

VFW women who will help with the buddy poppy sales are: Mrs. B. A. Shaffer, chairman; Mrs. Lovell Stell, Mrs. William H. Burnett, Mrs. J. C. Turner Jr., Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr., Mrs. Charlie N. Prater. Mrs. William E. Shira, Mrs. Harold D. Wheat, Mrs. Dean Witt, Mrs. W. L. Boyd Jr. and Mrs. Charles C. Gardner.

High school girls who will assist with sales are: Verlene Stewart, Jo Hargrove, Elma Ree Brewer, Beverly Harvey, Suzanne Toler, Wanda Jean Mayfield, Jerita Durham, Jeannette Bevels, Lupe Cave, Nozik Hassen, Betty Jane Barry, Margaret Ryan and Naomi Young.

Rural Life Sunday to Be Observed May 26 By Club Boys and Girls

Emphasizing the meaning of Christianity in rural life, 4-H Club Sunday or National Rural Life Sunday will be observed in most Texas counties May 26, according to an announcement by Hannah Nabors, Jones County home demonstration agent.

Purposes of such an observance are varied, reports Miss Nabors. It is designed to provide religious emphasis which will develop the heart and character of 4-H Club boys and girls. It will attempt to better develop an appreciation of opportunities within our country. It will attempt also to acquaint 4-H Club members with the closeness of rural life and nature to spiritual things.

Special services will be held in some places, and 4-H Club boys and girls will participate in various ways in church services throughout the country.

Deep Test at Neinda May Prove Strata

SNOWDEN 4,000-FOOT WELL TO BE 1,000 FEET BELOW OIL PRODUCTION IN AREA

The Hamlin section continued to play a leading role in oil developments for this region this week. One well was setting casing just above what is expected to be production; derrick for a new well was being erected; and application for another new well had been filed. All three of these operations were by the H. W. Snowden interests.

Snowden was setting casing on the Carroll tract in their No. 2 well at the 2,900-foot level. Most wells in the area have been carried to about 3,000 feet. The well probably will be drilled in next week.

Derrick was being erected this week by Snowden on the John R. Brown tract. The well, to be spudded probably next week, will be a north offset to the discovery well in the Neinda community, south of Hamlin.

H. W. Snowden et al has filed application for the No. 1 G. W. Poe well, a 4,000-foot test located 467 feet from the south and west lines of Subdivision 1 Block 358 Goliad County School Land Survey. This will probe 1,000 feet deeper than the average well depth for the area, and may give indications for further explorations at the greater depth.

Leases over the Hamlin section continued to find a ready market, with acreage blockers, which indicates that operators are confident of good production hereabouts.

Doyle Jones Back with Discharge from Pacific

Sergeant Doyle Jones arrived in Hamlin Tuesday morning with a discharge from Uncle Sam's Army. He is visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Jones, who live south of town.

In the Army for 23 months, Jones served with the military police division in the Pacific area. He followed the advance of American forces from the Philippines into Japan. He will leave June 5 for San Diego, California, for a visit and possible employment.

Tom Hawley Dies in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Mary Leonard received word last Friday that her brother, Tom Hawley, 86, of Blackwell, Oklahoma, had passed away. She was unable to attend the funeral services because of illness.

MORRIS POINTS TO THREE VIRTUES FOR SUCCESSFUL LIVING

Three basic virtues—honesty, respect for elders and reverence for God—were named as necessary to successful, happy living by Don Morris, president of Abilene Christian College, when he spoke to the Hamlin High School graduating class Sunday evening in baccalaureate services in the high school auditorium. A filled auditorium of attendants gave rapt attention to the 16-minute oration by the imminent Abilene educator.

Morris urged the young men and woman of the 1946 senior class to practice these three tenets in their daily living. If adhered to by the peoples of the world he said, most of our ills will be solved. People will get along with one another as individuals and as nations.

EIGHT GRADUATES TO GET DIPLOMAS AT McCAULLEY RITE

Eight graduates of McCaulley High School will receive their diplomas in commencement exercises Friday evening, 8:30 o'clock, in the McCaulley High School auditorium, it was announced this week by Superintendent W. W. Webb.

Molly Sue Brewer, with a year's average grad of 96.9, is valedictorian of the class; and Geneva Carter, with an average grade of 96.1 for the term, is salutatorian. Other members of the group are Gerald Berry, John Carter, Robert Hicks, Patsy Reed, Betty Lou Sanders and Johnny Wayne Waldrop.

Complete program for the Friday evening exercises follows: Processional, Mrs. Luther Rector; invocation, Rev. W. F. Richardson; welcome, John Carter; class president's address, Robert Hicks; class history, Gerald Berry; class prophecy, Patsy Reed; class will, Betty Lou Sanders; valedictory, Sue Brewer; farewell, Johnny W. Waldrop; presentation of diplomas and awards, Superintendent W. W. Webb; benediction, Rev. C. E. Dick; recessional, Mrs. Luther Rector.

Dr. A. G. Collins, New Physician, Locates Here

A new physician and surgeon, Dr. A. G. Collins, located last week in Hamlin, and is doing general practice. He has offices with Dr. W. J. McCrary, just off Central Avenue on the Rotan highway.

With general practice of 26 years behind him, Dr. Collins came to Hamlin from New Boston, near Texarkana. His wife has moved here with him to make their home.

FIRST PUBLIC MEETING TO TALK HOSPITAL FOR HAMLIN CALLED SUNDAY AFTERNOON

First public meeting of Hamlin area people called to discuss the proposed Hamlin Memorial Hospital has been called for Sunday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock at the high school auditorium. Several important points immediately pressing before final steps for contract for the hospital construction will come before the assembly, according to officials of the hospital association.

Officials not only desire the presence of those who have signed up for the building fund, but especially invite everyone interested in seeing Hamlin and the wide area about this community have a modern hospital. Presence of a large number of persons, both men and women, to discuss hospital questions, association leaders state, will encourage those who are striving to get things in shape for building construction at the earliest possible date.

A hospital association official declared: "Building a hospital from "scratch" is an unusual undertaking. It is not like any other project. This is all the more true since the Hamlin area people are proceeding on lines all on their own financing and planning. It is important that every step taken be based on sound and workable footings. The building that is about to be started is just a start toward a far larger hospital to meet the demands of the area covering many miles about Hamlin. Don't forget to attend the Sunday afternoon meeting. The board especially invites those who have not signed up as members."

Additional new members taking their $50 investment in the Hamlin Memorial Hospital Association are made public this week. They are: G. R. Bennett, W. B. Boyd, Herbert Bernshausen, W. R. Carter, Mrs. Anna Mae Childress, E. W. Cox, Haskell Carter, A. A. Callaway, W. B. Cotten, C. R. Crowley, Judge L. Crow, T. F. Campbell, Mrs. J. W. Ezell, Mrs. Ross Fomby, B. H. Gardner, R. B. Green, T. C. Gregory, Paul Galey, D. J. Herbst, J. T. Hart, H. Hester, C. W. Hilterbrand, H. A. Hinkle, I. R. Huchingson;

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Tax for Hospital at At Anson Opposed

WANT MORE TAXES?

Stamford's two newspapers, like The Herald, have been publishing articles for the past several weeks concerning the proposed county-wide hospital for Anson. Last week's Stamford Leader, published by George Inglish, had this to say editorially:

Of course, if the majority of voters say a county hospital, with added taxes for all hands to pay—even to the Stamford and Hamlin hospitals that they own or are to own—who can say a word?

But, if it goes over, which is so doubtful by even the most sanguine when the proposal was launched, let's not have somebody who voted for it come around and say: "Why in the blankety-blank-blank don't you newspapers do something about this everlasting increase of taxes that we people have to pay?" Remember, "consistency, thou art a jewel!"

THREE HAMLIN LADS NAMED DELEGATES TO BOYS' STATE

Three Hamlin High School boys last week were named by school officials as participants in the Boys' State, supervised model state government program at Austin. The special week's observance at the state capitol will be from June 8 to 15.

Named were Brad Rowland, Doyle Dean and Joe Clements.

Sponsored by the American Legion posts of Texas, the annual celebration is designed to familiarize coming citizens of the state with operation of their state govrnment in on-the-scene action.

Full staff of state officials is to be named by the group of several hundred Texas boys when they congregate at the capitol. All offices, from governor on down, will be filled by the boys, and they will serve in the official capacities for the week. Sessions of the Senate and Legislature will be conducted by the boys.

Expenses for the trip to Austin are being paid by local institutions. Hamlin post of the American Legion is paying expenses of one boy, and Hamlin Lions Club is paying those of the other two.

Dallas Evangelist Will Lead Methodist Crusade

Rev. Robert J. Kennedy, evangelist and singer of Dallas, will lead in a revival crusade at the Hamlin First Methodist Church beginning June 5, it was announced this week by congregation leaders. The series of services is scheduled to continue through June 16, according to Rev. E. L. Yeats, local pastor.

Long-time pastor of several large churches in Texas, Rev. Kennedy is an outstanding speaker and singer, denominational leaders declare. The public is invited to attend the services, which are slated at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. each day.

New Store Building for Simpson's Shaping Up

Workmen were this week putting up walls on the new store building for Simpson's Grocery, four blocks north of the highway intersection. Work on the 45 by 65 foot structure is expected to be completed by about July 1, Mrs. Joe Simpson, co-owner, stated this week.

Constructed mainly of clay tile and stucco, the new building will be modern, with a plate glass front facing Central Avenue. Roy Flowers is contractor for the project.

New walk-in meat case, air conditioners, added shelving, new fluorescent lighting and a new neon sign are included as improvements for the new building.

INTEREST IN ELECTION JUNE 1 MOUNTS AS BOND ISSUE ON COUNTY COMPREHENDED

Interest was mounting in Hamlin this week in the bond election called for Saturday, June 1, for the purpose of deciding if bonds in amount of $200,000 will be voted in Jones County for a proposed county hospital and health center..

And that interest was decidedly almost unanimous against voting of the bonds, according to a survey made by publisher of The Herald and by talking to others who have made contacts with area citizens concerning the proposed bond issue.

Sponsored primarily by Anson citizens, and backed by paid advertising in Jones County newspapers this week over the signature of the Anson Lions Club, the proposed hospital is opposed for various reasons by Hamlin citizens. This same opposition is reflected also in Stamford almost universally, according to publishers of the two Stamford papers.

Principal reaction of citizens outside Anson to the proposed issuing of bonds and levying of taxes to pay for the project is based upon the contention that such a hospital, to be located at Anson, would not properly serve the people of other sections of the county outside of Hamlin, hence all the people should not be taxed to build the hospital in Anson. Hamlin and Stamford citizens reason that if Anson wants a hospital, it should vote city bonds or use some other method of securing the institution.

Stamford has her own hospital, and Hamlin is scheduled to let contract next month for a 34-room hospital, plans for which are now in the hands of architects for corrections.

Typical reactions of a few Hamlin citizens are given below:

Starr Inzer: "No, sir, we would be idiots to vote for the Anson proposition. We had as well go to Abilene or some other place as to Anson. But we want a hospital of our own, and are going to build us one without asking the rest of the county to help us foot the bill."

Art Carmichael: "We already have a good hospital at Stamford; we have one at Rotan; we have others fairly close—but these do not answer our needs. Neither would another one at Anson. We want a hospital all our own, and are willing and ready to pay for it ourselves. Why can't Anson build her own hospital if she needs and wants one?"

Haskell O. Carter: "I wouldn't vote for a county bond issue to build a hospital in Hamlin. They just are not economically sound because they are political institutions, not operated to make their own way in many instances."

HAMLIN BASEBALL TEAM TRIMS ROSCOE NINE SUNDAY 34-6

Hamlin's independent baseball nine converted the Roscoe ball park into a race track Sunday afternoon when they trounced the Nolan County boys to the tune of 34 to 6.

The local boys were said to be "in the groove," and they got hits regularly and often that pushed their teammates across the platter all afternoon. Only three homeruns were chalked up in all that scoring.

Roscoe used four pitchers trying to stop the Hamlin baseballers. Two tossers hurled the game for the independents. Twenty-six hits were garnered off the Roscoe offerings.

Starting line-up for the Hamlin nine looked like this: Sharp, catcher; Miles, pitcher; Rowland, first base; Weaver, second base; Barnett, third base; Holland, shortstop; Howard, left field; Ford, center field; and Locke and Mitchell, right field.

The locals will meet a strong team at Lawn Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, officials of the team told The Herald Wednesday. The group will leave Hamlin at 1:00 o'clock. Baseball backers are asked to follow the team to Lawn, south of Abilene.

WOMEN IN THE NEWS

New Officers Installed By Junior Literary Club

Junior Literary Club met in the home of Betty Lou Ferguson last Friday for the last meeting of the year. The meeting was called to order by the retiring president, Diane Carlton, nad minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. G. R. Bennett, club sponsor for the coming year, installed incoming officers. The installation ceremony was carried by the formation of a diamond on a flannel board by each of the officers of the club, the club members and the sponsors, Mrs. G. R. Bennett and Mrs. John Walton.

Club officers for the coming year are: Shirley Baggett, president; Jo Hargrove, recording secretary; Verlene Stewart, corresponding secretary; Betty Lou Ferguson, first vice president; Joyce Barnett, second vice president; and Wanda Ford, historian.

The meeting was adjourned after a farewell message to the club from Mrs. O. D. Roland, club sponsor for the past year, and from the retiring president, Diane Carlton, in behalf of the senior members of the club.

After the meeting delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

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Piano Pupils Presented In Recital by Mrs. Baker

Piano pupils of Mrs. L. B. Baker were presented in recital Tuesday evening in the Hamlin High School auditorium. Following is the complete program:

"At Sunday School" by Arnold and "Soldiers at Play" by Stairs, Royland Flowers; "Summer and Winter" by Groton, Bobby Clay Jones; "Dreamy-time Song" by Munn, Angela Malouf; "The Kings' Review" by King, Laura Courtney, Wanda Jean Treadwell and James Eddie Jay; "Water Spirits" by Fletcher, Norma Jo Murff; "Cedar Brook Waltz" by Perry, Jonelle Maberry; "The Big Bass Singer" by Rolfe, Almeta Niedecken; "Sparkling Eyes" by Anthony, Barbara Kay Flowers; "Waltz Op. 33" by Wright, Bennie Elkins; "Prince Imperial Gallop" by Coote, Doris Rogers and Patsy Brown;

"Memories" by Bixby, Elizabeth Ann White; "Arrival of Brownies" by Anthony, Carl Travis Young; "The Band Is Coming" by Copeland, Ethyl Sue Dnton; "Dancing in the Sunbeams" by Butler, Faith Simpson; "Narcissus" by Nevin, Frankie Sue Madden; "Adieu to the Piano" by Beethoven, Doris Rogers; "Waltz in Old Vienna" by King, Eleanor Huchingson; "The Wedding of Jack and Jill" by Coote, Carl Travis Young and Faith Simpson; "Swaying Daffodils" by Overlade, Laura Courtney; "Valse Miniature" by Montague, Rose Brady; "On a Bright Blue Sea" by Stevens, Patsy Brown; "Tarentelle" by Denee, Kraigolyn Bessire; "Edelwiess Glide" by Vanderbeck, Wanda Jean Treadwell; "On the Magic Lake" by Crawford, James Eddie Jay; "Valse Caprice" by Newland, Jaunice Young; "Polka des Polkas" by Wallace, Elaine Kite; "In the Procession" by Hewitt, Elaine Kite Jaunice Young, Frankie Sue Madden and Kraigolyn Bessire.

Ushers for the program were Jo Hargrove, Donna Gail Miller, Oleta Kite and Verlene Stewart.

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McCaulley Women Study Window Trims

In the Fred Hemphill last Wednesday afternoon the McCaulley Home Demonstration Club enjoyed an interesting program on "Window Treatment" directed by Mrs. Glen Henderson. Many beautiful designs for draperies were shown. Mrs. Hemphill had very attractive drapes for her windows made from German parachute nylon.

As a surprise each woman present presented the hostess a gift to help make her happy in her new home in South Hamlin.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to Mmes. L. B. Maberry, Ted Abbott, W. M. Fancher, Roscoe Perryman, C. A. McHone, Milo Gray, Horace Barton, Joe Miers, W. Hemphill, Glen Henderson, Ray Maberry, Dick Maberry, Fred Hemphill, Hallie R. McFatter.—Rporter.

Martin D. Carlton to Marry Rotan Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morrow of Rotan are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Neva Ruth, to Marvin D. Carlton, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Carlton of Hamlin.

Vows will be read in the First Baptist Church at Rotan on Friday, June 21, at 8:30 o'clock p. m.

Bits of News About Your Friends

Pearl Hudson is in the Dallas markets this week for Bryant-Link Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shira spent Sunday at Lubbock visiting with his sister, Gerry Shira.

Mrs. J. E. Roberson of Marshall is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Pickron Sr.

Mrs. A. L. Lewis and daughter, Bonnie, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Lewis in the Flat Top community.

Mrs. William Heiter of St. Louis, Missouri, has been a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Lewis at Celotex.

Mrs. Carlton Parks and son, James, of Sweetwater spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. L. S. Magee, and with Mrs. Milton Smith in Hamlin.

W. M. Johnson and family of Borger, former Hamlin community residents, were week-end guests in the parents of Mrs. Johnson, and with other relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. D. Farrow and niece, Mrs. Carl Blass of Meadsville, Pennsylvania, are visiting Mrs. Farrow's aunt, Mrs. J. D. Farrow, and other relatives and friends at Hamlin.

Mrs. Tom Routh returned last week from Ballinger, where she visited her daughter, Dorothy Fern, who is teacher of public school music in the schools of Ballinger. She also attended a spring concert presented by the High School Chorus under the direction of iss Routh.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. N. E. Stewart on Mother's Day were her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Banner and baby of Benson, Arizona, her grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Boiles of Stamford, Mrs. High and Mr. Free of Abilene and her granddaughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin S. Stewart, and baby of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Spaulding and sons, Rodney and Bobby, of Odessa spent the week-end in the J. D. Rountree home.

Mrs. J. H. Windle of Granite, Oklahoma, is here visiting with her daughter, Mrs. L. H. McBride, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gray of Georgetown are spending the week in the city. They were at one time residents of this community, and they like to come west occasionally, where they can enjoy the fresh air and sunshine of West Texas. Mr. Gray owns quite a bit of farm land in the Flat Top community.

Business Women's Class In Session May 13

May Gay and Elsie Withers were hostesses last Monday to the business women's Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church. This was the regular monthly business and social meeting.

Present for the jolly occasion were Mrs. Ross Fomby, Mrs. Vera Nobles, Margueritte Nobles, Mrs. Ruby McMahon, Nettie Bowen, Florene Cornett, Mrs. Austin Poe, Elsie Withers and May Gay.—Reporter.

Billy Faye Rountree Gets McMurry Degree

Billy Faye Rountree, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rountree of Hamlin, was among the 51 members of the graduating class of McMurry College, Abilene, who received degrees Tuesday morning in commencement exercises at the college. She received a bachelor of science degree.

Dr. O. Q. Smith, president of the University of Oklahoma, was the commencement speaker at the final ceremonies. He also received an honorary degree from the school, as did Editor Frank Grimes of the Abilene Reporter-News.

Charles Lynn Brewer of McCamey is visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Travis.

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Camp Fire Girls Go To Lueders Camp

Two groups of Hamlin Camp Fire Girls left Thursday for Lueders to attend the first session of the annual summer camp for girls of this region.

Two other groups of older girls will go to the camp for the June 9 to 15 session.

Mrs. L. C. Denton and Mrs. G. R. Bennett, sponsors, went with the Princess Blue Birds of the third and fourth grades. The girls were Jo Nelle Maberry, Patricia Bennett, Marilyn Fletcher, Margaret Helen Chandler, Ethyl Sue Denton, Dorothy Louise Sneed, Barbara Ann Durham, Lula Janette Higdon, Marian Moran and Quata Jean Miller.

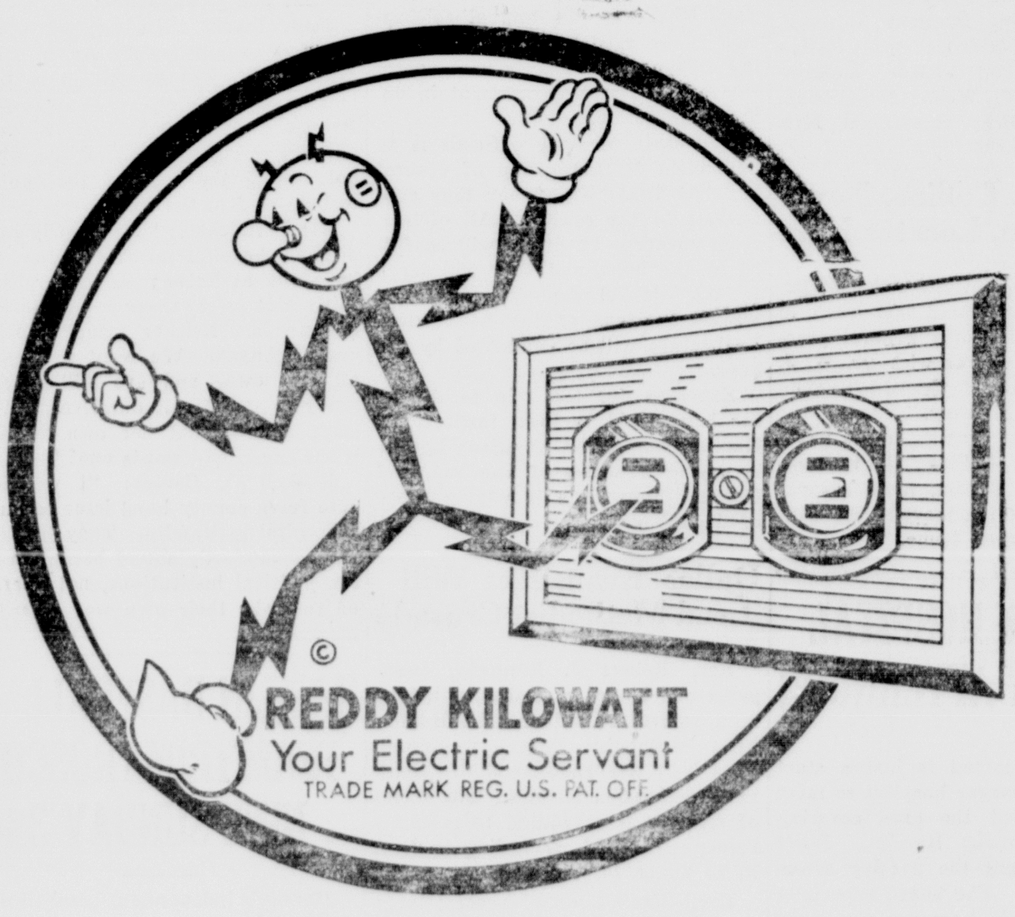
The Fairy Blue Birds group of the second grade were accompanied by Mrs. O. D. Roland, sponsor. Of this group Martha Ann Bunkley, Roylyn Flowers and Reba Faye Roland made the trip.

The girls were to arrive at the encampment grounds at 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon. They will return home next Tuesday evening.

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HOBBY SHOW SET JUNE 1 AT ANSON BY CLUB COUNCIL

A hobby show will be held in the basement of the courthouse in Anson Saturday, June 1, under supervisor of oJnes County Home Demonstration Council.

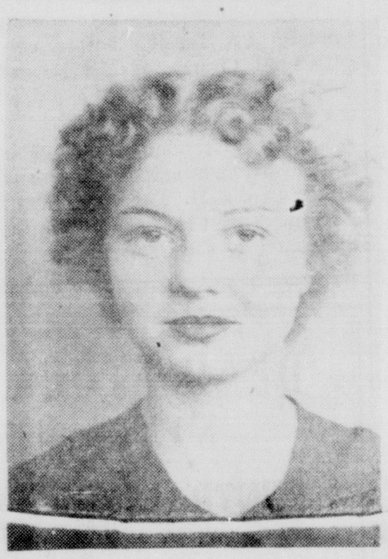
All persons in the county who have hobbies which they would like to enter are urged to bring them to this show. The displays must be completed before 10:30 a. m. June 1, states Hannah Nabors, county home demonstration agent, for the judging will start at that time. First, second and third places in the various divisions will be recognized only with ribbons.

Tea will be served by the Jones County Home Demonstration Council to all who call between 2:30 and 4:30 p. m. The exhibit will be open to the public from 1:00 to 4:30 p. m. Although the show is sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club women of the county, it is hoped that boys, girls, men and women outside club groups will be represented both by entries and as visitors to the show.

Entries in the show which are expected are as follows: Collections such as vases, stamps, cards, etc; art and handicraft, including pictures, leather, metal or woodwork of various kinds; flower arrangements; foods; clothing of all kinds; house furnishings, including items such as quilts, bedspreads, curtains, linens, etc. Other subjects not listed here may be included, and everyone who has an interesting hobby that can be displayed is urged to make it known by bringing it to the hobby show, the sponsors urge.

Many a man didn't have a rag on his back when he got married, but does now.

THESE GIRLS TOPPED ELEMENTARY GRADS





These two young ladies have been outstanding in scholastic work in the graduating class of Hamlin Elementary School during the term that closes this week. The class of 20 graduates into high school are slated to receive their certificates Friday evening at the high school auditorium. Donna Gayle Miller, left, earned the valedictory toga by making an average grade of 95 during the year. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Miller. Lavon Stewart, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stewart, is salutatirian by virtue of having made an average grade of 93 during the 1945-46 school term.

Moss Killed in Moore Lake.

Moss in the Moore Lake, which presents hazards to casting, has cleared up considerably in recent days, Cobble explains, since application of 1,800 pounds of blue stone in the lake's waters. The blue stone kills the moss and causes it to sink to the bottom of the lake.

Hugh Frank Jeffrey Marries in Oregon

In a double ring ceremony read at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon on May 5, Carol Dean Park, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence W. Park of Corvallis, Oregon, became the bride of Hugh Frank Jeffrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Jeffrey Sr. of Sylvester. The couple took their vows in the Baptist Church before an altar banked with dogwood and tapers in tall candelabra.

Mrs. Charles Rasholt was at the organ and played a program of wedding music. She accompanied Phyllis McCormack as she sang "Through the Years" and "All for You," and Norman Park, brother of the bride, as he sang "I Love You Truly."

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a beautiful gown with eyelet embroidered blouse with crepe skirt over white satin with sweetheart neckline and long sleeves. Her finger-tip tulle veil was edged with lace and gathered into a soft cap of tulle and lace. She wore a single strand of pearls. Her flowers were white lilies and carnations with white satin ties.

Her matron-of-honor was Mrs. Chester Dyer, who was dressed in orchid over satin and carried a bouquet of pink carnations and rosebuds. The bride's maids were Bettye White, in a yellow organdy gown, and Mrs. John Hawkinson, in a blue gown. The three attendants wore matching tiny caps.

Richard G. Atwood, cousin of the bride, attended Mr. Jeffrey as best man. Ushers were Chester Dyer and Douglas Brown.

Mrs. Parks, mother of the bride, wore a light blue wool suit with black accessories and straw hat. She wore a corsage of pink rosebuds.

A reception was held in the church following the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey left for a brief wedding trip to the Oregon coast. They are at home on Brook Lane, and will complete the college year at Oregon State College, where they are seniors.

Mrs. Jeffrey was graduated from Corvallis High School and took nurse training in Portland.

Mr. Jeffrey attended Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene before entering the armed service. He was discharged several months ago after duty in the Pacific area.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey plan to spend the summer in Texas.

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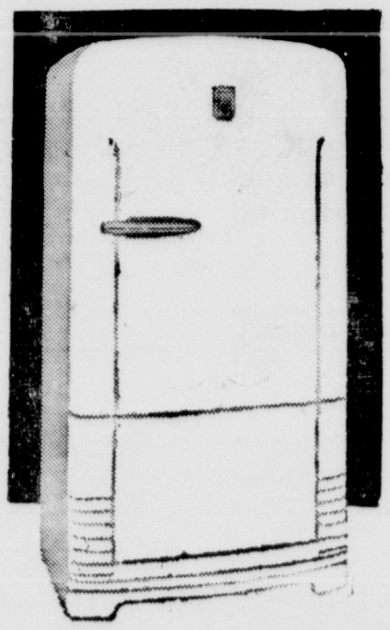
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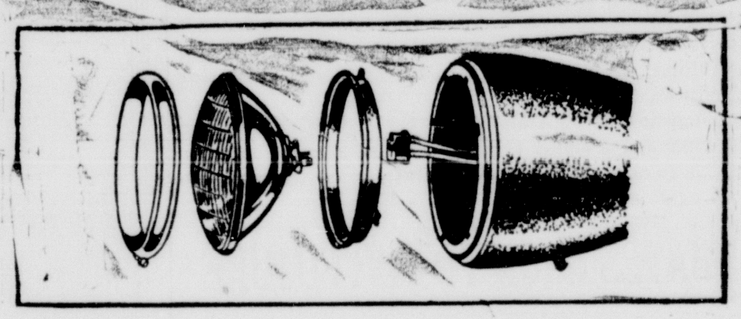
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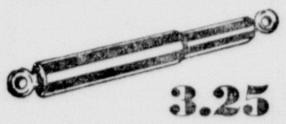
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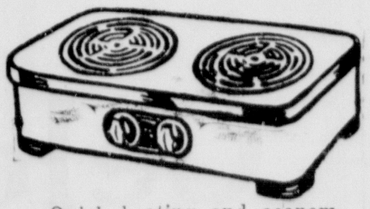
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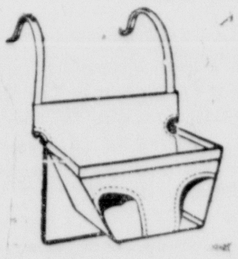
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THEY CANNOT KEEP THEIR PREMISES

Hundreds of people live in a certain city not far away from Hamlin—really a suburb of our town—who are helpless to maintain their own premises. They are those who have answered the Grim Reaper's call, and have moved their place of abode to the silent city of the dead.

Those of us who are left are charged with the responsibility of keeping their hallowed resting place clean and restful looking. If the grief in their passing is sincere, and we miss them as we indicate, then our remembering them and what they meant to us canfittingly be demonstrated in seeing that those graves and grounds are properly maintained.

The Hamlin Cemetery Association, under whose directing maintenance of the Hamlin cemeteries rests, sorely needs funds to properly care for the grounds already developed, as well as provide for necessary expansion of present cemetery facilities.

It is no more the obligation of officials of the association to look you up and plead for your financial support than it is your duty to look up the officials. In fact, those who have served faithfully in the unit deserve our backing in an aggressive sort of way.

OUR GRADUATES LOOK TO THE FUTURE

The next two or three weeks will witness the graduation of scores of young men and women from the high schools of the section, and the young citizens will face new opportunities and new problems.

Have you ever wondered why graduation exercises are called commencement? In reality graduation is the climax to many years of hard work in school rooms for the graduates—but, on the other hand, it is the commencement of a new phase of life for them. The young men and women commence to put into practice the tenets they have learned in the class rooms. They will have opportunity to use their mathematics in every-day figuring of costs and profits and other evaluations; they will use their grammar and spelling in letter writing, business forms and the like; the home economics student will cook and sew in a home of her own.

No matter what the future holds for the graduate, much of the success he or she attains is dependent on the intelligent use of knowledge, a persevering spirit and varying degrees of resourcefulness. Attributes of fair play gained on the athletic field will help the student play the game of life better.

HONOR THE DEAD—HELP THE LIVING

Wear a Buddy Poppy on Memorial Day. Be counted among those who believe that practical and sympathetic assistance for the living—rather than imposing monuments—is the finest way to honor the vivid memory of America's hero dead.

The above paragraph has been advanced by the Hamlin Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars as preface for the first annual sale of buddy poppies, as part of the national drive for funds to assist in veteran welfare and rehabilitation, and to the care and protection of homeless orphans of veterans. The drive will be opened in Hamlin this week under direction of the VWF chapter.

In the present difficult period of readjustment of countless thousands of disabled veterans whose minds and bodies bear the cruel scars of conflict, the nation-wide rehabilitation service of the Veterans of Foreign Wars is doing those things for veterans which the government is unable to do in their behalf—those things which they cannot do for themselves.

When distributors of the buddy poppies come to you, Hamlin people, dig a little deeper into your jeens and give liberally. We cannot pay them for their scars, lost limbs, blindness and clouded minds—but we can give them things that might alleviate their sufferings and privations.

SUPERVISED OUTINGS VS. IDLENESS

Within the next several weeks several scores of Hamlin area boys and girls will be leaving for summer camps that will refreshing both from a physical standpoint and educationally. The youngsters will come back from outings of a week or more better boys and girls—with broader vision of the out-of-doors, and their part in it.

Boy Scouts of the area will go the first week in June to Camp Tonkawa at Buffalo Gap, south of Abilene, where one of the finest camps in the Southwest is being provided by the Chisholm Trail Council. Prime feature of the Tonkwaa Camp will be a brand new swimming pool built this year with funds gathered by the Boy Scout area unit.

Camp Fire Girls of this section will go to Camp Westexaca near Lueders, one age group going next week-end and another age group making the camp the middle of June. Girls will enjoy camping facilities afforded by the Brazos River near the camp.

Well directed camps such as provided by these two outings are among the choice offerings that grown-ups can provide for the future Americans of this region. Thoughtful parents and other leaders will see to it that the maximum number of boys and girls can enjoy the camps. How much more these supervised outings can mean than idleness of the young folks at home cannot be estimated.

WHAT CONTEMPORARIES ARE SAYING

INFLATION IS NOT OUR NO. 1 PROBLEM

Controlling inflation is not the nation's No. 1 problem. The No. 1 problem is how to preserve representative government in the face of inflation. It may be impossible to control inflation due to natural forces over which the people have no control. It is possible to preserve representative government because that is a political question, and political questions are clearly within the power of the people to decide.

The argument is often heard that unless inflation is controlled, the resulting chaos will automatically destroy freedom, and history is called upon to support such an argument. But in answer to this it can be said that there has never been another nation in history like the United States. Her people are highly literate, closely integrated by modern communication and transportation, and well informed on the problems of the day. They have been taught almost from the cradle that their heritage of independence is their most valued possession. Nothing can take this heritage away from them. If it is lost, they alone must lose it. If they permit it to be lost in the turmoil of transitory economic upsets, they deserve to lose it.

No, inflation is not the nation's No. 1 problem.—Rotan Advance.

ROBERT B. HERRING TELLS ROTARY OF FIRST ATOMIC BOMB

Robert B. Herring of Breckenridge was guest speaker Wednesday noon at the weekly luncheon of the Hamlin Rotary Club at the Morgan Hotel. He told of some of his war experiences, especially while he was a member of the observation crew over the first Japanese city of Hiroshima bombed with an atomic bomb.

Herring explained the sensations members of his crew underwent as they approached the city, flying miles high above ocean and land, waiting aghast for the explosion of the world's first atomic bomb in modern warfare, little wondering that the effects of this blant and the subtquent one at Nagasaki were destined to real'y cause cessation of hostilities with Japan.

As the flying groups of observers, photographers and others saw the explosion of the bomb, smoke billowing skyward and later felt tremors from the blast miles away, they could see the tremendous power of the bomb, the speaker told Rotarians.

The civic group voted to purchase equipment for a softball team from Boy Scout Troop No. 33, which is sponsored by the Rotarians.

John Simmons of Sweetwater, a club guest, sang "My Wild Irish Rose." Jim Parrish of Abilene was another club guest at the Wednesday gathering.

Anna Margaret McBride, pianist for the club, who is receiving her diploma this week from Hamlin High School, was presented a graduation gift by the club, Rev. E. L. Yeats making the presentation.

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Crawford Preaches at O'Donnell Sunday Eve

Rev. J. T. Crawford, pastor of the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene, was in O'Donnell Sunday afternoon and evening. A former pastor of the O'Donnell Church of the Nazarene, Rev. Crawford, filled the pulpit at the church Sunday evening.

Sunday afternoon Crawford officiated at wedding ceremonies that united Ardis H. Pace and Patricia Barton. Mrs. Crawford accompanied the pastor to the Lynn County city.



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EX-CHAPLAIN TO BE SPEAKER TUESDAY AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Outstanding as a war-time chaplain who served in the front lines with fighters who engaged in some of the toughest engagements of the entire war in Europe, Colonel W. E. King of Abilene will be a featured speaker at the Hamlin First Baptist Church Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Pastor John H. Osteen of the church states that the speaker is being slated to appear Tuesday evening instead of the originally planned Wednesday night prayer service in order to permit members of other church of the city to hear his inspiring message. The public is invited to hear the evangelistic discourse, Osteen states.

Colonel King, pastor of the University Baptist Church in Abilene since October of last year, has some thrilling experiences he will tell about Tuesday evening. A volunteer in World War I at the age of 16, King volunteered for service in the second World War. He entered chaplain duty as a captain and attained the rank of colonel when the hostilities ceased. Serving with the 44th Division of the Sixth Army Corps, King served in North Africa and Sicily and took part in the bloody Salerno and Anzio Beach invasion in Italy and the Southern France invasion. He was wounded three times, and earned six decorations for valor

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COTTON QUIZ



J. E. Walton Back from Army Duty in Pacific

Staff Sergeant J. E. Walton returned to the United States recently after several months in the Philippines and Japan. He received his discharge in California. He and his wife, the former Sammye Nell Rash of Aspermont, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walton Sr., and other relatives in Hamlin.

The young couple will return to Los Angeles, California, soon, where Mrs. Walton is employed as an accountant for Lockheed Aircraft and J. E. plans to enter school.

J. E. served for two and one-half years in the Army.

Wonder if they call it puppy love because it's the beginning of a dog's life?

FIVE GRADUATES AT H. H. S NAMED TO HONOR GROUP

Ida Frances Robertson was named last week-end as valedictorian of the Hamlin High School senior class for 1946. Salutatorian is Milton Johnson.

Other honor graduates of the class were named this week by school officials as folows: Diane Carlton, Peggy Polk Hopper, Anna Margaret McBride. Honor graduates had an average of 90 or above in all courses by members of the class.

Final exercises for the class were scheduled for Thursday evening at the high school auditorium, when a class-arranged program was under the direction of Milton Johnson, who was acting as chairman of a typical school meeting. "Reports" of activities of the past year were to be given

Complete program of the commencement rites was printed in last week's issue of The Herald.

Diplomas were slated to be presented to graduates by Superintendent of Schools I. R. Huchingson. for the closing year.

Complete program for the commencement exercises follows:

Processional, Mrs. L. B. Baker; invocation, Rev. John Osteen, pastor of Hamlin First Baptist Church; calling meeting to order by Chairman Milton Johnson; roll call and minutes, Elaine Kite.

Reports—"Our High School," Ida Frances Robertson; "The Arts and Science Courses," Dorothy Gene Huling; reading, "Life," Anna Margaret McBride; "The Vocational Courses," Mary Lou Smart; "The Commercial Courses," Peggy Polk Cooper; "Cultural and Fine Arts," Joe Clements; sextet, "Waltz of the Flowers" by Tschaikowski, Ida Frances Robertson, Elaine Kite, Joyce Culbertson, Anna Margaret McBride, Diane Carlton and Sharlot Riddle; "Physical and Recreational Training," Elizabeth Butcher; new business; presentation of credentials (diplomas); election of permanent officers; adjournment; and benediction, Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor of Hamlin First Methodist Church.

Seniors slated to receive diplomas in the Thursday evening ceremonies were: F. D. Bagwell, Lindol Beard, James Brown, Elizabeth Butcher, Diane Carlton, Arthur Tom Carlton, Wanda Rose Carrigan, Joe Wayne Carter, Joe Clements, Joe Collins, Billy Coltharp, Joyce Culbertson, Zona Lee Faulkenberry, Glena Fudge, Marion Gilbert, Roland Goodgame, Betty Jo Green, Jack Gray, Edwin Hill, Dorothy Gene Huling, D. C. Hughes Jr., Wilda Lou Jean, Milton Johnson, Elaine Kite, Margaret McBride, Larry McCoy, Sammy McNeely, Jessie Myers, Charles Newland, Mildred Phipps, F. W. Poe Jr., Bill Pritchard, Sharlot Riddle, Ida Frances Robertson, J. D. Rodgers, Bebe Shelton, Mary Lou Smart, Opal Smart, Wanda Lou Smith, John Harold Steele, Wesley Tabb, Lorene Tabb, Winnie Beth Teague, Elmer Terrell Jr., Nellie Turner, Yuel Ulmer, Jerry Waggoner, Wanda Austin, Maudie Beene, Elizabeth Taylor, Peggy Wainscott, Marvene White and Naomi Ruth Young.

Schedule of Services at Church of the Nazarene

Schedule of services at the Church of the Nazarene follows:

Sunday—Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 11:00 a. m.; young people's service, 7:15 p. m.; evening service, 8:00 p. m.

Monday — Women's Fellowship Missionary Society, 2:30 p. m.

Wednesday—Mid-week prayer service, 8:00 p. m.

The church and pastor invite you to attend these services.—J. T. Crawford, Pastor.

If the Money Held Out.

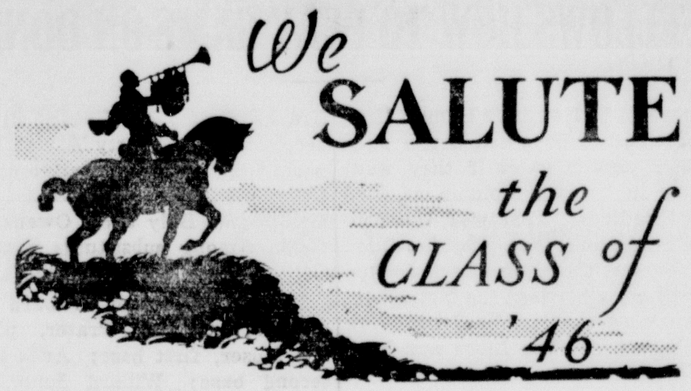
Two negroes were talking about finances.

"Boy," said one, "what would you do if'n you had all the money in the world right now?"

"Well, suh," replied the other, "I reckon I'd pay it on my debts, fur as it would go."

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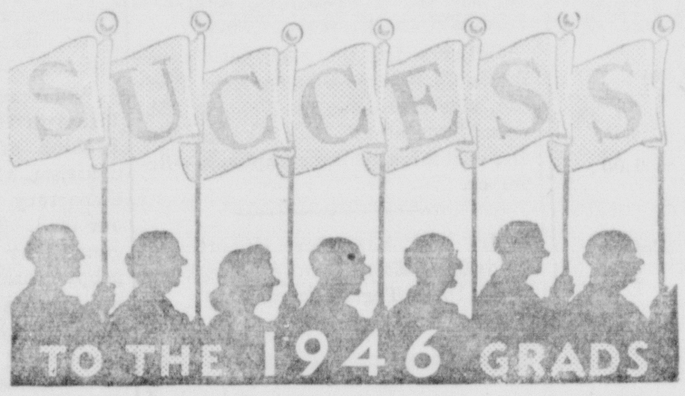
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This message to our boy and girl graduates of 1946 is not as complete sa we would like t omake it. We would like to say the above words to each of you personally.

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LIONS CLUB BASEBALLERS SHOW YOUNGER FELLOWS HOW TO PLAY GAME ON DONKEY

Coach L. B. Howard's Hamlin High School football boys had better stick to their pigskin sport if they want to stay in the win column at Pied Piper Stadium. This was the conclusion of more than 600 fun-filled spectators at the close of the donkey baseball game between the high school charges and the Hamlin Lions Club Tuesday night. The Lions won by a 4 to 3 count.

The game was an hilarious affair when members of the team had difficulty in getting their mounts to act like respectable critters on the diamond. The batter usually wound up on the ground after his first try at donkey riding. The business men in the Lions Club were a game lot though, and kept on trying for the sake of their major club activity—caring for unfortunate people with sight defects.

A gate of more than $358 was reported by ticket sellers.

The school boys started off the game in the first inning with a marker by Bob Crowley. Doyle Dean put over a tally in the second. The Lions scored first in the third frame when Herbert Bernshausen rode his charge to home plate. James Brown scored in the fifth. Then the Lions tied the game in the fifth when Stanley Carmichael and Teddy Russell coaxed their long-eared mounts to amble across the platter. Claude Lancaster scored the winning tally in the sixth to put the game away. The school boys couldn't score in their half of the seventh and the game ended.

Starting line-ups for the two nines follow:

School Boys — Bobby Crowley, catcher; W. C. Moore, pitcher; Billy Franks, first base; George Brigham second base; Shorty Myers, third; base; Brad Rowland, shortstop; Doyle Dean, left field; James Brown, center field; and Billy Jack Owens, right field. Among substitutes were Poe, Coltharp, McGuire and others.

Lions Club — Jim Howard King catcher; Charles Prater, pitcher; Joe Moser, first base; Arlie Cassle, second base; Willard Jones, third base; Delma Shelburne, shortstop; Brose Spencer, left field; Ted Russell, center field; and Teddy Russell, right field. Among substitutes for the Lions were Claude Lancaster, Stanley Carmichael, Herbert Barnshausen, LaFoy-Patterson, Art Carmichael and others.

Junior Literary Club Names Mrs. Bennett as Sponsor Coming Year

The Junior Literary Club of Hamlin was organized in 1942. It has been active at all times except during the summer. The club was founded with the aim and goal of furthering culture and refinement in our community and in our world, for that matter.

During the closing club year the organization has studied "Famous People and Interesting Inventions." This course of study has included President Roosevelt, President Truman, Admiral Nimitz and many public figures. It has also given information on the atom bomb, inventions that help our veterans who have been disfigured and injured for life in the war to see, hear and walk.

Our sponsor is Mrs. O. D. Roland and Mrs. G. R. Bennett is co-sponsor. Mrs. Bennett has been elected sponsor for the coming year, and Mrs. John Walton is to be co-sponsor.

Officers for the past year were: Diane Carlton, president; Bebe Shelton, vice president; Ida Frances Robertson, secretary; and Sharlot Riddle, custodian of the scrapbook.—Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilbert and children of Baird spent the week-end in the D. R. Tegart home.

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SEEKS REELECTION



Judge Tom L. Beauchamp of the Court of Criminal Appeals, above, who is seeking his second elective term, is a former weekly newspaper man. He recently carried a dissenting opinion in the well known case involving Corpus Christi newspaper men held in contempt of court. He declared his stand was one for freedom of the press and freedom of speech.

OMAR BURLESON WELL PLEASED WITH HAMLIN OPTIMISM

"Every time I come to Hamlin I am reminded oft hat phrase of a popular song, "Where never is heard a discouraging word," were the opening remarks of Omar Burleson of Anson, former Jones County judge, when he spoke Tuesday noon at the luncheon meeting of Hamlin Lions Club. He was program speaker for the day.

"Such an attitude of optimism as I find in Hamlin is refreshing when I think of all the skepticism and cynicism about the failure of our democracy being so outspoken over our land. There is a fatalism propoganda that is being fed by groups of people with little faith who are bewailing that our economy is to be controlled by government; that we are merely cogs in a machine of state managed affairs, fixed prices and wages," added Burleson.

The Anson man declared that too many people of today are leaning too much on the government instead of being self reliant indiivduals. "We as individuals and a nation," said Burleson, "need to look through the discouragement of cynicism and skepticism to progress initiated by our people using new tools and new discoveries to achitve greater heights of true living."

Hamlin High School Coach L. B. Howard presented the plan being sponsored by his football bays to add dressing rooms and lockers at the Pied Piper Stadium. He explained that 150 interest bearing vouchers are being sold at $10 each to provide a fund of $1,500 for installation of the rooms, improving the stadium fence and making other improvements. The vouchers will be redeemed by December 1, 1947, from the sale of tickets to games this fall.

Burl Bunkley was initiated as a new member of the Lions Club by Gordon Bennett. Dr. E. G. Collins, new Hamlin physician, was a guest.

Wilburn Ford Arrives From Service in Japan

Wilburn (Bill) Ford came in last week after a long stay in the South Pacific with Uncle Sam's Army. He is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Joe Ford, and other relatives and friends.

Leaving Yokohama on April 26, young Ford arrived in the States May 6. After a 15-day furlough the Army man will return to Camp Hood for reassignment.

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Use Discretion with Attributes.

"A good wife," said an old-time clergyman, "should be like three things, and yet she should not be like those three things.

"First, she should be like a snail, always keeping within her own house; but she should not be like a snail and carry all she has upon her back.

"Secondly, sh should be like an echo, to speak when she is spoken to; but she should not be like an echo, always to have the last word."

"Thirdly, she should be like a town clock, always keep time and regularity; but she should not be like a town clock to speak so loud that all the town may hear her."

Gets More Rides That Way.

Amos pointed out to his friend, a taxi driver, that there was a purse lying on the floor of his cab.

"Yes," said the driver. "When business is bad, I put it there and leave the door open. It's empty, but you've no idea how many people jump in for a short ride when they see it."

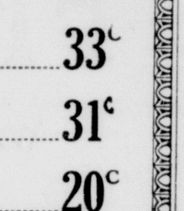
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MRS. ADA TERRELL DIES WEDNESDAY HOME IN HAMLIN

Mrs. Ada Terrell, for 30 years a resident of Hamlin, died at her home Wednesday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock after a two-month illness. She was 69 years of age.

Funeral services were scheduled for Thursday afternoon, 3:00 o'clock at the Hamlin First Baptist Church. Rev. John W. Osteen, pastor, assisted by Rev. E. L. Yeats, Methodist Church pastor, was to be in charge of the final rites.

Burial is slated in the Olton, Lamb County, cemetery, under direction of Barrow Funeral Home.

Surviving Mrs. Terrell are eight sons, J. B. and Elmer Terrell of Hamlin, Joe and Bonny Terrell of Denver City, Douglas Terrell of Andrews, Grover Terrell of Rotan and Jack Terrell of Odessa; two daughters, Mrs. V. A. Curry of Hillsboro and Mrs. T. H. Williams of Hamlin; one brother, C. F. Heath of Los Angeles, California; and one sister, Mrs. T. A. Jean of Hamlin.

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NEWS NOTES FROM SYLVESTER

MRS. J. M. MONTGOMERY, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. George Hood returned from California Monday. They had visited for several weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Clayton Carrell, and family.

William Reeves, Church of Christ minister, and his family moved to Abilene Wednesday. The house where they lived is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Waldrop and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mauldin of Abilene have moved to Sylvester and are living in an apartment at the W. R. Moffett residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay of Hamlin were in town Tuesday afternoon on business.

The Sylvester Study Club will meet Tuesday evening for the final program of the year. A meeting to elect officers for the coming year will be held May 28.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Turner went on the three-day Hereford tour sponsored by the West Texas Hereford Association, visiting many ranches in this territory. The Turner Hereford Farm was one of the places visited Wednesday, where a cattle sprayer Paul has invented was demonstrated.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moffett are announcing the arrival of a son at Sweetwater Hospital Thursday morning, May 16. The young man has been named Larry D.

C. O. (Colonel) La Rue Sr. died at his home in Sweetwater Thursday morning and was buried Friday afternoon. He was the father of Mrs. Jack Stone of Sylvester. Mr. La Rue lived here many years, and was section foreman on the railroad. Several from here attended the funeral services at Sweetwater Friday.

Louis Kiser of Weatherford, an old-timer here, came Thursday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Douglas were in Abilene Saturday.

Visiting in the Turner home are their children, Mrs. Kathryn Polk and Kay and Mr. and Mrs. William Conley and children.

Mrs. Waldo Cox was in Abilene Saturday to bring home her son, James (Breezy) Cox, and friend, Elizabeth Herring of Sweetwater, to spend the week-end. Both James and Miss Herring are students at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Ancil Hendricks of Roscoe were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Hendricks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brewer.

Visiting their mother, Mrs. A. N. Pursley, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Woodfard Pursley of Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pursley of Sweetwater.

The teachers and a number of the mothers carried all the school children to Sweetwater Park Monday for a picnic. Despite the cool weather, an enjoyable day was reported.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Devers had as their guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Devers and children, Patsy and Billie, of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stinnett of near Longworth were visiting friends at Sylvester Sunday afternoon.

Paul Turner and Milton Montgomery were in Abilene Monday attending to business.

Jackie Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cummings, spent the week-end at Crowell with his grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kelly and Colleen accompanied their son and brother, Marvin Kelly, and family of Rotan to Fort Worth to spend the week-end with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Kenneth Dixon, Mr. Dixon and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Huddleston of California are visiting Mrs. Huddleston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lawlis.

Mrs. G. S. Barnes and Mrs. A. B. Armstrong were in Sweewtater Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hollis of Sweetwater were Sylvester visitors Monday afternoon.

The Answer.

She doesn't yearn for nylon stockings
Nor uses lipstick, paint or rouge;
She doesn't pluck her thickened eyebrows,
And she never touches booze.
She doesn't ask for love and kisses,
She doesn't coo or pet;
But then she's no spring chicken—
She's eighty-one, and single yet!

RURAL CARRIERS SPONSOR MEETING FOR ROAD CONFAB

W. L. Fletcher Jr. of Hamlin will be toastmaster as a series of conferences of rural mail carriers and others groups in West Texas interested in the improvement of rural roads at Abilene Thursday night, May 30, according to announcement made this week by Melvin Courtney, chairman of hte advertising committee for the carriers. The session, originally scheduled for Saturday, May 25, but advanced on account of some speakers, will be in the Windsor Hotel.

Courtney said a committee of members of several organizations has been appointed to draf preliminary plans for formulating a program for submission to the state Legislature that would result in improvement of rural mail routes, school bus routes and farm produce roads

Leaders identified with the improvement program include County Judge Gilbert Smith of Jones County, who is president of the American Institute of Local Highway Administration; J. Walter Hammond of Tye and Waco, president of the Texas Farm Bureau; John Thompson of Merkel, secretary of the Texas Ginners Association; Judge C. L. Sullivan of Cooke County; State Senator Pat Bullock of Colorado City; and Raley, who is chairman of the good roads committee of the Texas Rural Letter Carriers Association.

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WONDERBERRIES will be ripe at Sewell's Orchard, beginning May 28; 25 cents per bucket. 1c

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FOR SALE — Six-foot John Deere 12-A combine; also six-foot John Deere power mower.—G. W. Kincaid. 1p

Business Services

POULTRY RAISERS—Quick-Rid for coccidiosis, worms, germs and poultry diseases; feed it to baby chicks and laying hens. 19-tfc

WANTED—Paint jobs, any kind, any time, anywhere. See Irvin R. Acker, phone 166-J. 23-tfc

RADIO AND ELECTRIC SERVICE —Have just opened a repair shop across from post office; will do repairs on any kind of household apparatus.—W. F. Wilcox. p

SPRAYING TIME is here for cedars and other trees. Drop a card to E. Allison, Box 176, McCaulley. 29-2p

WE WILL ACCEPT storage wheat! If you wish to store your wheat, we will take your wheat at the elevator in any quantity you wish to store. If and when you wish to sell, we will pay you whatever price we are bidding for wheat on the day you wish to sell at our local elevator in Hamlin, less the storage and turning and treating, or a total of 1⅜ cents per bushel per month.—Kimbell Elevator, Y. A. McNeill, Manager. 1p

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LOANS, LOANS, LOANS — Farm loans; 10 to 20 years; as low as 4 per cent interest; loans for buying, refinancing or for building a new home in town; interest reasonable; monthly payments.—H. O. Cassle. tfc

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HAMLIN CHAPTER No. 310 R. A. M. meets every fourth Thursday night.—W. T. Johnson, H. P.; C. C. Bailey, Secretary. 21-tfc

DRIVING NEW CAR to San Diego, California, June 5; can take two passengers. Write to Doyle Jones, Route 3, or leave name at Herald office. 1p

WORD OF THANKS

I am taking this method of thanking each and every one who were so kind and thoughtful in sending cards beautiful flowers and gifts during my recent illness. God bless all of you.—Mrs. H. C. Harber. 1c

CARD OF THANKS

We will always hold in grateful remembrance your comforting expressions of sympathy during the illness and passing of our dear mother Mrs. J. S. Hubbard.—The Hubbard Children. 1p

MA BROWN is back in the some old place, first door north of Ferguson Theatre. Will be glad to have all her old customers back and new ones, too. Sure will try to please you. 1p

Real Estate for Sale

HOUSE FOR SALE—Three rooms, size 14x42, with front porch; to be moved off lot.—J. M. Montgomery, Box 87, Sylvester, Texas. 1c

Wanted

WANT TO RENT furnished or unfurnished house with three bedrooms; will pay liberal rent. Phone Ted Armstrong at Celotex plant, telephone 9026-F2. 1p

WANTED—Hauling, any kind, any time, anywhere. See Irvin R. Acker, telephone 166-J. 23-tfc

WANTED—Hauling of any kind in Hamlin; local hauling. See Clyde Trotter. 28-4p

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh business in Taylor County; 1,000 families; real opportunity; we help you get started. Write Rawleigh's, Dept-TXE-333-OA, Freeport, or see S. Howard, Hamlin, Texas. 29-3p

WANTED—38-caliber pistol. Call at Herald office.

WANTED—Clean rags; no khaki.—Carmichael Tractor Company. 29-tfc

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For Rent

FOR RENT—Bedroom with garage. See Mrs. G. H. Joiner. 1c

POT-SHOTS FROM McCAULLEY

BY GEO DARDEN

Some say the McCaulley School is being undermined and plans are being laid to catch the folks off guard and without poll tax receipts and call an election to consolidate our school with some other school. If such should come to pass there will arise more bitterness among neighbors than was ever known in any former election in this community. Frankly, in our own personal opinion any man, whether he be a member of the school board or otherwise, who would sell out his child's school or his neighbor's child's school is guilty of an unpardonable sin against his community.

Any school that is in as good financial condition as ours and with a record as good as ours, needs no outside dictator. If we had no high school ,and we were in dire need of financial assistance, that would be a horse with another color. If the people were not interested in our school, then the voters would not have voted bonds for a gymnasium. Some say we cannot build a gym for $24,000, amount of bonds voted; that materials cannot be had, etc. Well, neighbors, if other folks can get materials to build night clubs and honky-tonks in Texas, as is being done, surely we can get enough materials to build a $24,000 structure—even if it's only a mule barn. Wake up, neighbor, before it's too late.

Thanks to Mrs. L. F. (Pinky) Gist, way out in California, for her complimentary letter regarding this column.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson and children are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rhoten. Jack recently underwent a major operation in Borger.

Mrs. Clara Jo Allison left several days ago for California to join her husband, who is stationed out there in Uncle Sam's Army.

The junior and senior students of McCaulley High School will leave Sunday for the Carlsbad Caverns.

There was too much excitement to watch everything that was going on in the old home town last week—the road machinery at work on the new highway, the soft ball games, the saw filing machines at work at the gin, etc.

Ed Mason has returned to his home after several weeks in a Rotan hospital for treatment. Glad to report Mr. Mason improved.

One candidate for governor has brought up the old Ku Klux Klan issue again. The boys have to find something to talk about. The next thing we know some candidate will include a plank in his platform that will catch the Texarkana killer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jayroe have purchased the Floyd Warner farm south of town. The farm, formerly known as the John Dean place, consists of about 140 acres. The Jayroes now live at Rotan, where he is employed by an auto parts company. We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Warner will move to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Henderson and his sister, Jessie Henderson, of San Francisco, California, visited their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Henderson, near McCaulley last week-end. Melvin was discharged April 19 from the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Miers and children and J. O. Jones of Lubbock are visiting for a few days with relatives in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Eivens and children of Lubbock visited with his mother and sister at McCaulley last week-end.

Mrs. Sybil Stevenson, student at Scoggins Beauty School at Abilene, visited her family at McCaulley last week-end.

We imagine that Governor Coke felt like crawling in a hole after Jimmy Allred exposed the wholesale paroling of Texas prisoners Saturday night. It's high time that some of the men who know are telling the folks.

It looks like a "full house" in the Congressional race in the 17th District. See where our good friend, Gib Sandefer, has thrown his hat in the ring. Delivered papers with that boy back in 1919 nad 1920 when we used a pony and saddle to get the subscribers their afternoon Abilene papers. Went to grammar school with him. He's a good scout.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Mayo and children of Grand Prairie and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fairey and daughter of Lamar, olorado, were visitors on Sunday, Mother's Day, in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mayo, near McCaulley.

Mrs. M. B. Wetherly of Mansfield is visiting this week in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Rush, and family at McCaulley.

Dr. J. P. McBeth, pastor of the Lamar Street Baptist Church in Sweetwater, preached the baccalaureate sermon at the McCaulley Baptist Church Sunday night.

Jonnily Max Jones, student at McMurry College, Abilene, was home over the week-end.

Mrs. Frank Jackson left last week for Stephenville to be at the bedside of her father, who is seriously ill in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lee have returned from a visit with their soldier son, Bud Lee, at San Antonio. While in the Alamo City they visited the Alamo, the sunken gardens, Kelly Field and Brackenridge Park. Bud was one of 16 boys out of 60 who passed tests for officers' training school. He says that his Boy Scout work at McCaulley was a great help to him in the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Galloway and Dick, had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Joe, Albert Jr. and wife and son, Stanley Jackson, on night last week on the river arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Waldrop and daughters were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Lee. They are from O'Brien.

T. H. Randolph of Morenci, Arizona, spent Monday and Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Lee. Also visiting in the Lee home were Mrs. Roy Lee and son of Midland and Mrs. Iva Brown of Midland.

A fish fry was enjoyed one night last week in the Louis Bailey home. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith and children. Fish were caught at Fort Phantom Lake, cooked over open fire at the Bailey home with all the trimmings.

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COMMENT NO. 1

The big boys know that the OPA is the only barrier to inflation. They also know that depression will follow inf[illegible]. Therefore, if they can kill the OPA they can sell everything at high prices and when the depression comes they can get it back again. Thus they would have both the money and the prposperity.

And so the pressure continues to raise prices and weaken OPA. Corporation lobbyists claim that the OPA is inefficient, that it permits black markets and "strangles" legitimate business. But whenever the OPA asks for enough funds to enforce price ceilings and wipe out black markets it is opposed by these same hypocritical corporation lobbyists.

A reactionary Congress listens to the lobbyists and refuses to give OPA the money it needs. They even go further and cut OPA appropriations so low that it is forced to curtail its operations.

Congress is enforcing inefficiency in the OPA. It will not permit the OPA to hire the enforcement agents it needs to run down the black marketeers. And as the OPA is crippled prices rise higher and higher.

Congress is attempting to make the public believe that the OPA has failed. The laborer, the small business man, farmer and stockman must wake up and demand of Congress protection from money-mad profiteers or we find ourselves in the same predicament as was the case in the first World War. The voters of the United States fell for the capitalist propoganda after World War I, elected Hoover, and we all darn near starved to death. We don't have to have a degree in college to figure out when the average man is getting it in the neck. This country boy columnist can only warn the readers in our humble way and hope the voters will do something about it.—A Darden-O-Gram.

Most every man is a loud dresser when a button pops off his shirt.

Hamlin Jaycees Seek Matched Ball Games With Area Players

Hamlin Junior Chamber of Commerce members, their wives and other guests enjoyed the first of a series of regular monthly picnics last Thursday evening at the I. R. Witt cabin at Moore Lake. Following the picnic style lunch, the group played bingo and other games in the cabin. Prizes were awarded to winners.

Next meeting of the Jaycees has been announced by President Charles Prather for Monday evening.

Jaycee officials state plans are shaping up for formation of a strong Junior Chamber of Commerce soft ball team. Beginning next week, it is announced, games will be played each Tuesday, Thursday and Friday night. Teams wanting ball games with the Jaycee group are asked to contact Coach L. B. Howard.

Some men get rich by winking at laws; some women by winking at men.

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Potatoes California White Rose	Lb.	5½¢
Bell Peppers	Lb.	23¢
Calif. Lettuce	Lb.	12¢

New Potatoes Texas Grown Lb. 6¢
Texas Tomatoes Lb. 15¢

Florida Oranges	Lb.	10¢	Yellow Onions	Lb.	7¢
Large Lemons	Lb.	12¢	Cabbage Firm, Solid Heads	Lb.	5¢

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Crackers Busy Baker	Lb.	15¢	Sw. Potatoes Pine Grove	No. 2½ Can	20¢
Peanut Butter Real Roast	2-Lb. Jar	52¢	Hi Ho Crackers	1-Lb. Pkg.	23¢
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Shrimp Medium Size	Lb.	49¢
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Cooked Salami Spiced Luncheon Meat	Lb.	32¢ 48¢

Jewel Oil	Pint Bot.	28¢
Coffee Admiration	Jar or Can	33¢
Airway Coffee	2 Lbs.	41¢
Nob Hill Coffee	Lb.	23¢

10-Lb. Pkg. All American Flour		55¢
Fig Bars Zion	Lb.	22¢
Cream Cheese Philadelphia	Pkg.	12¢
Catsup Red Hill	13½-Oz. Bot.	15¢
Pork & Beans Mello Glo	14-Oz. Can	10¢
Hominy Swint's Old Fashioned	No. 2 Can	15¢
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$200,000 To Be Spent By By Gyp Unit

CELOTEX CORPORATION PLANS EXPANSION OF STORAGE AND OTHER FACILITIES

Work was started this week on an extensive expansion program in plant facilities of the Celotex Corporation, southwest of Hamlin, that will mean expenditure of approximately $200,000, according to John O. Lewis, local manager of the concern.

Principal item in the huge building and equipment schedule is an addition to the storage facilities at the plant for finished products of the mill. With concrete foundations and flooring, the structure will be constructed of steel and sheet iron on the east end of th main plant. Expansion will provide 17,000 square feet additional floor space, as compared with about one-third that amount in the present storage room. With the new storage addition approximately 3,000,000 square feet of wall board can be stored at the mill.

Ted Armstrong, who recently returned to the employ of the Celotex concern after several years on the West Coast, is in general charge of the enlargement program.. Ludwig Construction Company of New Orleans has the overall construction contract. Richard Wright Construction Company of New Orleans has the foundation contract.

Excavation work was started Monday by Wright. The new unit is expected to be completed within five months, Armstrong states. Practically all materials are purchased.

New office building costing about $5,000 will be erected just inside the fenced area of the Celotex plant, about 150 feet south of the present office, Lewis stated.

Included in the improvement program will be new crushing equipment for the gypsum mine at Longworth, 14 miles southwest of the Celotex community plant. A new shovel for use at the Longworth mine also has been purchased.

Terrell Sledge to Face Connally for Senate Job

Terrell Sledge of Kyle has announced his candidacy for the United States Senate as an opponent to the veteran Tom Connally.

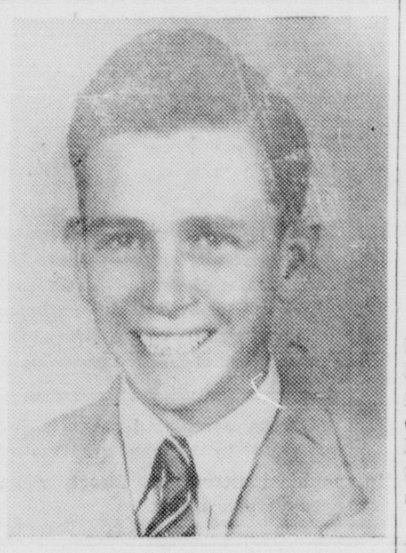
Sledged, age 42, a graduate of the University of Texas, has been a farmer-stockman since returning to his home town in 1928 and has operated his own farm during these years. He served three and one-half years in the Army.

THESE ARE PRINCIPALS IN COMMUNITY-WIDE YOUTH CENTER OPENING SATURDAY

Leading in a community-wide movement to provide for a Youth Fellowship Center, where the young people of Hamlin community may gather several nights each week in a convenient spot for entertainment and fellowship, these people will have general direction of activities: Top row, left to right: Rev. John H. Osteen, pastor of First Baptist Church, director; Mrs. Loleta Treadwell, co-director; and Joe Frank Beaver, member of Youth Council; bottom row, left to right: other members of Council are Jo Hargrove, Jessie Myers, Mozelle Barnett and Ray Myers. Another member of Council who picture was not available is Larry McCoy.

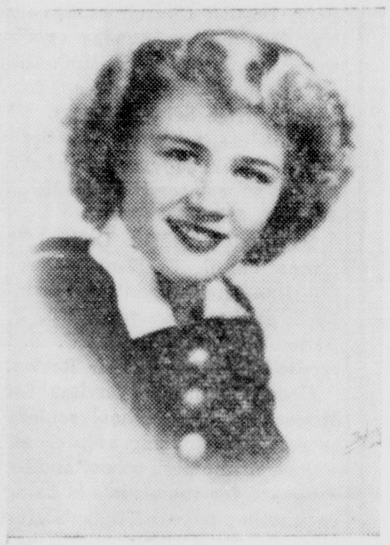


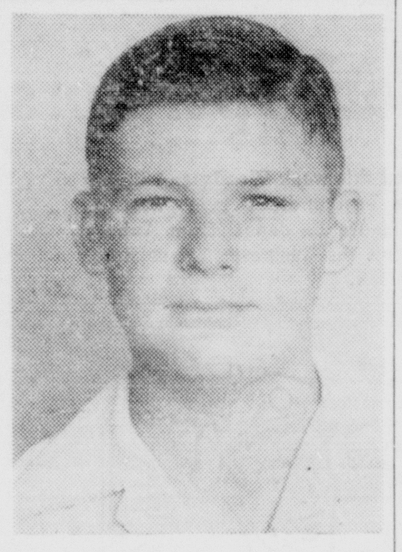












About Half of School Dressing Room Fund Vouchers Disposed of

About half of the dressing room fund vouchers being sold by the High School Athletic Association had been sold first of the week, Hamlin school officials stated.

Fund of $1,500 for installing new dressing rooms at Pied Piper Stadium is being raised by sale of 150 interest-bearing vouchers at $10 each. The vouchers will be redeemed by January, 1947, with proceeds from fall football games, athletic association leaders state.

New close-at-hand dressing rooms it is explained, are needed for both home and visiting teams when contests are held at the stadium. Suiting up now is being done in a class room at the Hamlin High School, four blocks away. The room is badly needed for classroom work, officials state.

Sale of the vouchers, being conducted by Coaches L. B. Howard and Melvin Carlton and football boys, is expected to be completed next week.

Youth Fellowship Center Will Be Opened Saturday

A community-wide Youth Fellowship Center will be inaugurated Saturday evening for the young people of Hamlin, according to announcement made this week by Rev. John Osteen, pastor of the First Baptist Church, director of the movement.

"Started because of the great need in Hamlin for properly directed and organized entertainment for young people, every young person in Hamlin and surrounding community is invited to attend the scheduled sessions," Osteen declares. He and others ask the support and cooperation of parents and youths.

Trial sessions of the program were staged several evenings ago, when the first groups were large, more than 100 young people attending the get-togethers. "Fun, friends and fellowship" will be keystones of the center, sponsors declare.

Official opening of the center is Slated Saturday evening, May 25, when a picnics, sponsored by mothers of the young people, will be staged at the city park in Southwest Hamlin, beginning at 7:45 o'clock. Everything will be furnished by the sponsored.

After the picnic the group will go to the Youth Fellowship Center in the basement of the First Baptist Church, for games, singing and a good time.

Beginning May 25 the Youth Fellowship Center will be open for the following hours: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings from 8:00 till 10:30 p. m.; Sunday afternoon from 2:30 to 6:30; and Monday evenings from 8:00 to 10:00 o'clock for junior boys and girls.

See YOUTH CENTER—Page Six

15 New Cars Delivered By Agencies at Hamlin As Production Climbs

Fifteen new cars have ben delivered by Hamlin auto dealers so far, according to a check made this week by The Herald. Sheafs of car orders are on hand, but would-be owners are waiting for production to get into high gear.

Automobile production set a post-war record in April despite the coal strike, the civilian production administration reported over the week-end.

The agency said 152,206 passenger cars rolled off assembly lines last month, a 67 per cent gain over the March output. Truck production more than doubled, it added, climbing to 81,282 units in April from 39,459 in March.

CPA said the sharp April production increase was due principally to resumption of production by General Motors Corporation, which had been strike-bound for more than three months.

Call 241 and tell your news items.

Schools Get Big Pay from State Funds

STATE PER CAPITA OF $25 PAID ALREADY—TRANSPORTATION AND OTHER AID DUE

Total of $16,325 has been received by the Hamlin Independent School District as per capita apportionment payment so far this school year, according to School Supperintendent I. R. Huchingson. Remainder of $3,265 is due on the $30 per capita set payment slated by Septemer 1.

Actually, the per capita apportionment coming to Hamlin schools will amount to $27,520 on the $30 per capita, because with transfers and other students attending the local system this school term has been average of 919.

Huchingson explains that probably an additional payment of $2,512 is expected to be made this year on the basis of a $4 per student allotment that has been recommended by state school leaders. This $4 payment would come by virtue of an unprecedented surplus in the apportionment fund now on hand.

Funds for the state apportionment are derived principally from various state taxes on luxury items.

Others monies are due to the Hamlin schools from state funds, Superintendent Huchingson stated. State school bus supplemental pay called transportation money has not been received for the current term. This should amount to several thousand dollars.

Funds from a newly created account labeled "equalization aid" also are due Hamlin Schools. Exact apportionment was not known by local school officials due the institutions. Payments are made from this fund to small and medium size schools with less than 1,250 scholastics showing actual need, and Hamlin schools have qualified for such payment, officials stated.

Summer School Will Be Conducted If Needed

Summer school courses will be taught in Hamlin schools if sufficient number of students desire such classs, Superintendent of School I. R. Huchingson stated this week. Results of final examinations being given this week, which will determine the number of failing students during the regular school term which closes Thursday, probably will be the factor of decision for the summer session.

High School Principal H. P. McLaughlin will be in charge of the summer session if it is conducted.

AT LAST . . .

A Youth Fellowship Center for All the Young People of Hamlin

WHERE? Basement of First Baptist Church

WHEN? Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday from 8:00 to 10:30 p. m. Open also Sundays at 2:30 p. m.
(Monday night exclusively for Junior boys and girls).



WHAT? Fellowship! Friends! Fun! (Games Singing, Refreshments and Devotion).

NOTICE! Picnic Saturday, May 25, at 7:45 p. m. at the City Park. All young people invited to attend.

Where the Young People of the Community Congregate!

LEGION BARBECUE ATTRACTS 200 AS GLEASON SPEAKS

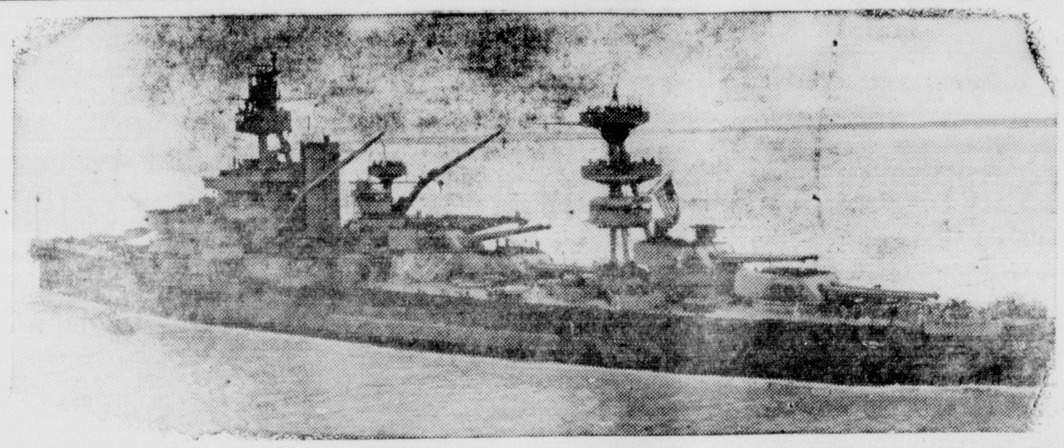
"That's one barbecue I've been to where the bread was tougher than the meat!"

This is the way one of the more than 200 attendants expressed his being pleased with the fine barbecue served Tuesday night by the Hamlin post of the American Legion at the city park for Legionnaires, ex-service men and their wives and other guests. Plenty of trimmings were on hand, served under supervision of Joe Culbertson, post commander.

R. J. Gleason of Anson, district commander of the 17th District of the American Legion, was speaker for the evening. His topic was the Americanism program being sponsored by the veterans' organization.

It was announced at the gathering Monday night that the drive for a total of $1,098 assigned to the county in the national campaign will be raised within the ranks of the Legionnaires. The quota will be pro rated between the three posts at Hamlin, Stamford and Anson.

ONE OF SHIPS TAAT WILL TAKE PART IN ATOMIC BOMB TESTS



Within short weeks, units of the target fleet of operation "Crossroads," including the USS Arkansas, oldest battleship in the Navy, above, will be gathering near the scene of the first atomic bomb tests. Already ships of the fleet are preparing for the tests which will be held in Bikini Atoll, tiny islet in the Marshall Island group. The Arkansas has carried two presidents and one congressional committee as passengers during peacetime, and been in action in both wars. In second World War the veteran ship served as a convoy escort, and bombarded the shores of Normandy, Southern France, Iwo Jima and Okinawa in pre-invasion actions.

Gorthe completed what is judged by some to be the greatest philosophical literature, Faust, when he was 82 years old.

Pastor at Sweetwater Speaks Sunday Night To McCaulley Seniors

Dr. J. P. McBeth, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Sweetwater, was the speaker Sunday evening at the Baptist Church in McCaulley for the baccalaureate service for McCaulley High School seniors.

Complete program for the exercises, under supervision of W. W. Webb, superintendent of McCaulley Schools, follows:

Processional, Mrs. Luther Rector; invocation, R. B. Hennington; solo, Charline Mustain; introduction, Rev. C. E. Dick; message, Dr. J. P. McBeth; benediction, Rev. C. E. Dick; recessional, Mrs. Luther Rector.

Commencement exercises for the McCaulley High School seniors will be conducted Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock in the high school auditorium. Program for these rites is being run on another page of today's Herald.

Inflation Due to Many Causes.

There are many factors in addition to farm prices and wage rates that affect inflation. The federal debt has increased to gigantic proportions during the war. Currency in circulation has increased from seven to over 28 billion dollars. Bank deposits have increased from about 58 billion dollars in 1939 to over 141 billion in 1945.

Good Authority.

"Do you think you are fit for hard labor?" the foreman asked an elderly job seeker.

"I must be," replied the applicant, "some of the best judges in the country have thought so."

Hamlin Service Men to Attend Reunion of 36th

A number of Hamlin area service men were interested in the announcement from Austin that Fort Worth was selected Friday as site for the second annual reunion of the 36th Division Association, September 7, 8 and 9.

Eight of the 11 members of the association's board of directors attended the Austin session which accepted the Fort Worth invitation, extended by Herbert Joseph.

Our kids have just bought a set of books on the "Psychology of Handling Parents."

New Station Operators

In a deal consummated this week Woody and Buddy Scott purchased the Panhandle Service Station, located south of the Santa Fe depot, from Aubrey Miller, and are running the business now as Scott Brothers Service Station.



We will continue to handle Panhandle Petroleum Products and a complete line of Motor Oils. A portion of your business will be appreciated.

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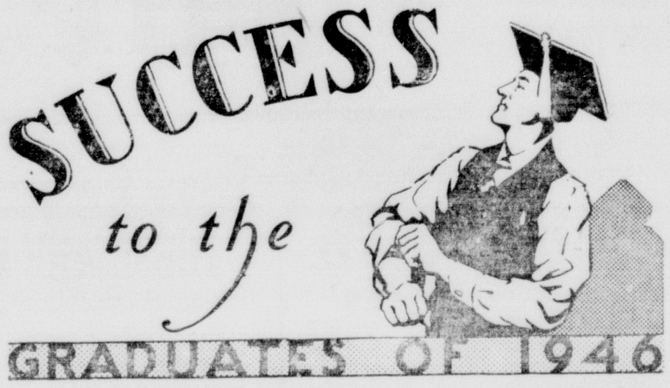
Whether you are leaving your school days behind or expect to continue with your studies, we want you to take this thought with you: You have our unbounded admiration and our best wishes for success in all of your undertakings.

And, remember we over here at Wade Farm Machinery Company are anxious to serve you and your family with dependable Equipment for Farm and Ranch.

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Wade Farm Machinery Co.

Fred Williams, Manager



As you come to the end of your senior year in Hamlin High School, may we be among the first to wish you a bright and happy future.

That you will capitalize on the knowledge you have acquired, and make citizens of whom we will continue to be proud, is the sincere wish of the folks at M. S. Johnson Garage.

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We Salute You, Graduates!

To the scores of high school graduates of Hamlin High School, and other schools of this territory, we proudly dedicate this space in our Home Town Paper.

With your diplomas behind you, we trust you will face the future with determination and wisdom that will make your success sure.

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HAMLIN YIELD TO BE GOOD BUT STATE GRAIN HARVEST OFF

Texas faced today the bleak outlook of the shortest wheat crop since 1941, with world need for grain grain at its highest in many years, it was reported to The Herald Tuesday.

While the immediate Hamlin area probably will harvest some more grain than it did in 1944, the major grain producing areas of the north Plains and in Northwest Texas reported a much below normal harvest prospect.

Dry and sun-scorched fields in the important northwestern wheat growing sections are completely blighted, the United States Department of Agriculture said after a farm-to-farm survey of conditions as of May 15.

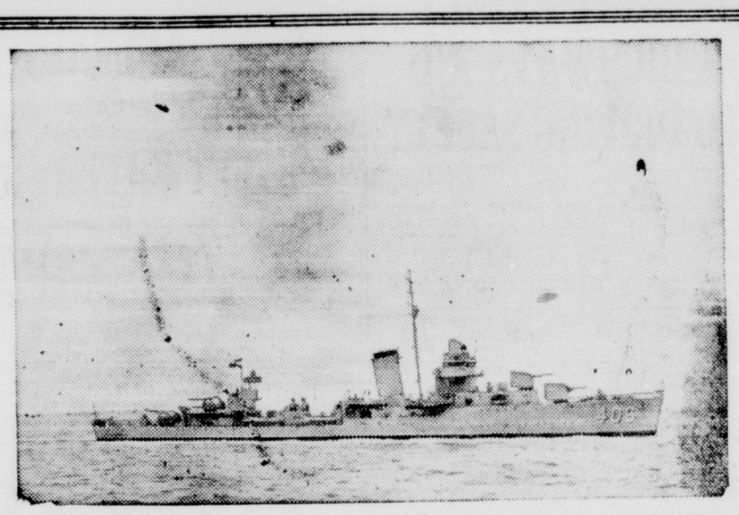
Already farmers are grazing the fields to salvage what feed there is left. Local showers in April were of little help, the USDA said. It gave the summarized estimate of the outlook:

Indicated production as of May 15, 35,666,000 bushels.

Indicated production as of April 1, 59,940,000 bushels.

Production in 1945, $41,778,000 bushels. Average annual production for 10 years (1935-44) 34,863,000 bushels.

NOTED SUB FIGHTER TO GIVE LIFE TO BOMBS



Another ship to be used as a target in the atomic bomb tests slated for late summer in the Marshall Islands is the sub-hunter U. S. S. Stack, pictured above, destroyer of the McCall class of 1939, which fought in both Atlantic and Pacific waters, operating against German and Jap submarines. The vessel participated in the Battle of Vella Gulf, the occupation of the Marshalls and the assaults on New Guinea, Leyte, Lingayen Gulf and Okinawa and did honor to the Navy.

Wants to Begin in Time.

"I have heard a good deal about people who borrow trouble, but I think my wife is tops."

"Why, I thought she was always cheerful."

"She was until our baby came six weeks ago. Now she is worrying because he may marry some girl we shall not like."

Area Cotton Raisers Interested in Poisoning Tests With New DDT

Hamlin area cotton raisers are interested in recent experiments with a DDT-sulphur mixture that indicates effectiveness against adult cotton fle ahoppers fo. control of heavy infestations, according to J. C. Gaines, entomologist of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. It is not quite as effective when sulphur alone it used, it was said, but will give economical control of light to medium infestations.

DDT has proven toxic to adult hoppers as well as immature forms, but it also reduces the population of beneficial insects, thus causing aphids to become damaging. Caution should be exercised in applying DDT early in the season, Gaines points out to Hamlin region farmers.

When both hoppers and weevils are causing injury to cotton at the same time, DDT should not be used, but a calcium arsenate-sulphur mixture is effective against both of these pests.

First application of sulphur should be applied when from 15 to 25 hoppers are found on 100 cotton terminals, but if the infestation increases rapidly, a five per cent DDT-sulphur mixture should be used to stop the damage as quickly as possible, Gaines said.

That's Really Bad!

"I hear there was some pretty bad shooting at your ranch last night. What happened—some outlaws show up?"

"No—in-laws."

Ted Armstrong Back On Job at Celotex Plant

Ted Armstrong returned to the Celotex Corporation mill southwest of Hamlin last week after an absence of five years. He is active head of the engineering department, having charge of the expansion programs started Monday at the Celotex concern.

Armstrong, familiar figure at the plant prior to 1941 for several years, has recently been associated with a California firm. He will move his family to Celotex next week from Phoenix, Arizona, where they have been temporarily located for several weeks.

Of the Rising Generation.

Another, who may be said to have his ups and downs, is the unfortunate chap who happens to get an aisle seat at a movie.

Sentinels of Health

Don't Neglect Them!

Nature designed the kidneys to do a marvelous job. Their task is to keep the flowing blood stream free of an excess of toxic impurities. The act of living—*life itself*—is constantly producing waste matter the kidneys must remove from the blood if good heath is to endure.

When the kidneys fail to function as Nature intended, there is retention of waste that may cause body-wide distress. One may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feel tired, nervous, all worn out.

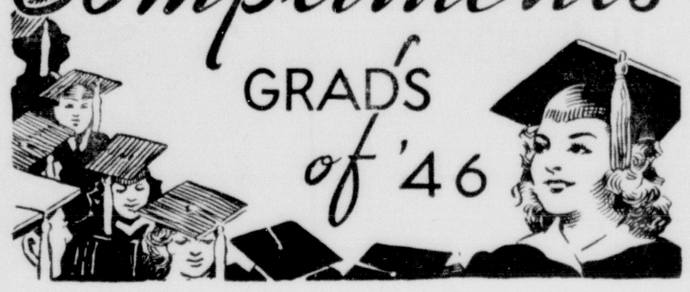
Frequent, scanty or burning passages are sometimes further evidence of kidney or bladder disturbance.

The recognized and proper treatment is a diuretic medicine to help the kidneys get rid of excess poisonous body waste. Use *Doan's Pills*. They have had more than forty years of public approval. Are endorsed the country over. Insist on *Doan's*. Sold at all drug stores.

DOAN'S PILLS

Compliments

GRADS of '46



Your tomorrow is ahead fo you, boy and girl graduates of 1946, and as we pause upon the eve of that tomorrow to appraise its signifi cance, we want you to be heartened by our good wishes—and our determination to help you whenever and wherever we can.

With the zeal and determination you have shown in completing your high school work you are bound to meet the problems tha- lie ahead with zest.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL OF YOU FROM ALL OF US!

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GRADUATES, WE WISH YOU A

HAPPY FUTURE

So you are graduating! That is indeed an honor. It is doubly an honor these days when scholastic requirements are so high. With such a splendid record made by graduates of Hamlin High School and other schools of this territory we feel sure that the graduates of 1946 will more than measure up to any demand that is made upon them.

Every good wish to your future success and happiness is the sincere felicitation of your friends at City Electric.

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BEAUTIFICATION OF CELOTEX VILLAGE WELL UNDERWAY

Concerted campaign of beautification of properties at the Celotex Corporation plant southwest of Hamlin is scheduled for the next few weeks, according to officials of the gyp mill.

Occupants of residences on the "reservation" already have begun improvement of yards, removal of unsightly vegetation and garbage from around the homes and other beautification movements. Other occupants are expected to follow suit, citizens at the plant state.

The company-owned club house has been repainted. Manager John O. Lewis states, and paint was expected to be applied to the store this week. Streets in the village have been regraded recently.

Three new wells are slated to be drilled right away, Lewis states, that will assure plenty of water for lawn and flower culture.

With coming of the paved highway to the plant within the next few months, additional improvements at the mill are scheduled, including a new office building and resodding of lawns around the mill entrance.

JUST HUMANS By GENE CARR



JANE—"If I Were to Pass Out of th' Picture, What Would You Do?"

SAP—"Th' Same as You!"

JANE—"Wretch!"

At Least a Definition.

"We've been reading a lot of attacks on 'bureaucrats' lately, but we weren't just sure who the writers were talking about. Then a farmer told us what it is:

"A bureaucrat is a Democrat holding a public office that a Republican wants."

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The State of Texas, County of Jones: To the legally qualified voters of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53:

Take notice that elections will be held within Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 on the 25th day of May, 1946, at the places and on the proposition more fully set forth in the order of the county judge of Jones County, Texas, substantially as follows ,to-wit

On this the 3rd day of May, 1946, there were presented to me a petition signed by W. C. Russell and 33 other legally qualified voters of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and a petition signed by J. E. Johnson and 24 other legally qualified voters of Carlton School District No. 53, which petitions prayed for a consolidation of said districts and the issuance of an order for an election for that purpose.

I find that the petition signed by W. C. Russell and others was signed by 31 legally qualified voters of Hamlin Independent School District, and that the petition presented by J. E. Johnson and others was signed by 20 legally qualified voters of Carlton Common School District No. 53.

I further find that Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District is situated partially within Jones County and partially within Fisher County, that the principal portion of said school district and its properties are situated in Jones County and that Jones County has jurisdiction over the principal school of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District.

I further find that said petitions are in compliance with the law and should be granted.

I have been advised that a petition for an election on the same proposition has been presented to the county judge of Fisher County on behalf of Plasterco Common School District No. 36 of Fisher County, and that said judge is issuing an order for such election to be held on May 25, 1946.

It is therefore ordered:

1.—That an election shall be held in Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and in Carlton Common School District No. 53 on the 25th day of May, 1946, at which time there shall be submitted to the legally qualified voters of said districts the following proposition:

"Shall Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 in Jones County, Texas, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County, Texas, be consolidated for school purposes and be known as Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District?"

2.—The place for holding the election in Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District shall be the Hamlin High School Building. The following officers are hereby appointed to hold said election in Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District: Holly Toler, presiding judge; Mrs. A. Spencer, assistant judge; Mrs. Fred C. Smith, clerk; Mrs. James E. Simmons, clerk.

3.—The place for holding the election in Carlton Common School District No. 53 shall be Radium Gin Office. The following officers are hereby appointed to hold said election in Carlton Common School District No. 53: F. W. Poe, presiding judge; M. E. Carlton, assistant judge; J. E. Johnson, clerk; J. E. Taylor, clerk.

4.—All legally qualified voters of said districts shall vote in the district in which they reside.

5.—The form of the ballots for said elections shall be as follows:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

For consolidation of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 in Jones County, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County.

Against consolidation of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 in Jones County, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County.

Each voter shall draw a line through one of the above expressions thus leaving the other to indicate his vote.

6.—Notice of said elections shall be given by posting a copy of this order in three public places in each of said districts.

Issued this the 3rd day of May, 1946.—Gilbert Smith, County Judge, Jones County, Texas. 28-2c

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The State of Texas, County of Fisher: To the legally qualified voters of Plasterco Common School District No. 36:

Take notice that an election will be held within said Plasterco Common School District No. 36 on the 25th day of May, 1946, at the place and on the proposition more fully set forth in the order of the county judge of Fisher County, Texas, substantially as follows, to-wit:

On this the 3rd day of May, 1946, there was presented to me a petition signed by J. O. Lewis and 27 other legally qualified voters of Plasterco Common School District No. 36, which petition prayed for a consolidation of districts hereinafter mentioned and the issuance of an order for an election for that purpose.

I find that the said petition was signed by 28 legally qualified voters of Plasterco Common School District No. 36.

I further find that Fisher County has jurisdiction over the principal school of Plasterco Common School District No. 36.

I further find that said petition is in compliance with the law and should be granted.

I have been advised that petitions for an election on the same proposition have been presented to the counyt judge of Jones County on behalf of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 of Jones County and that said judge is issuing an order for such election to be held on May 25, 1946.

It is therefore ordered:

1.—That an election shall be held in Plasterco Common School District No. 36 on the 25th day of May, 1946, at which there shall be submitted to the legally qualified voters of said district the following proposition:

"Shall Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton School District No. 53 in Jones County, Texas, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County, Texas, be consolidated for school purposes and be known as Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District?"

2.—The place for holding the election in Plasterco Common School District No. 36 shall be the Club House. The following officers are hereby appointed to hold said election in Plasterco Common School District No. 36: Mrs. J. W. Riddle, presiding judge. Anna B. Sills, assistant judge; Mrs. N. L. Crowley, clerk; Mrs. H. M. Rawlins, clerk.

3.—All legally qualified voters of said district may vote in said district.

4.—The form of the ballots for said election shall be as follows:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

For consolidation of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 in Jones County, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County.

Against consolidation of Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District and Carlton Common School District No. 53 in Jones County, and Plasterco Common School District No. 36 in Fisher County.

Each voter shall draw a line through one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other to indicate his vote.

5.—Notice of said election shall be given by posting a copy of this order in three public places in said district.

Issued this the 3rd day of May, 1946. — Roy F. Formnay, County Judge, Fisher County, Texas. 28-2c

Prompt Attention to Communicable Disease Would Save Citizenry

If every case of suspected communicable disease in the Hamlin area could be promptly visited either by a family physician or the local health officer, scores of susceptible persons would be protected from disabling illnesses, according to the state health officer.

To quote Dr. George W. Cox, "The old fashioned theory that it is a good thing for children to have a number of the catching diseases and get them over with, has long since been known to be a serious and sometimes fatal error. The longer a child can keep from having these diseases, the better it is for him. Every child should be completely protected by vaccination or inoculation against these diseases where an immunity can be produced."

Prompt diagnosis, isolation, good medical and nursing care give the patient the best chance for a satisfactory recovery without the serious complications that sometimes accompany even the mild forms of communicable diseases. Dr. Cox further emphasizes in a release to The Herald that obeying the public health laws regarding isolation and quarantine of communicable diseases protects not only the patient, but helps prevent others from contracting the illness.

"The State Health Department," Dr. Cox said, "is doing everything in its power to protect the health of Texans. It is the duty of every man and woman to do his share to maintain a high level of health and help prevent the spread of communicable diseases."

NEW TRAFFIC LINES ON HIGHWAYS AID TO DRIVING SAFETY

New traffic lines have recently been installed on highways in the Hamlin area. The special painting machine was in Hamlin several days ago, and even ran a line down the center of Central Avenue.

It is the line that separates life from death; happiness from despair; safe driving from dangerous driving. It is the line that goes down the center of the highway.

Stay on your side and live. Thousands annually cross over that line and meet death or serious injury. Statistics show that passing another automobile out on the highway is one of the most dangerous things a person does.

State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer makes a timely plea when he calls for strict observance of highway markings and signs. Traffic volume is already well above pre-war peaks in Texas, tire and car shortages notwithstanding. It will soar further upward as new cars get on the road. Authorities predict the nation's 1946 death toll from motor accidents will pass 38,000 unless motorists can be persuaded to assume more cautious driving habits. At the predicted 1946 death rate, only seven years will be required for motor vehicle accidents to kill as many Americans as were killed in World War II from Pearl Harbor through V-J Day.

It will be as impossible to remove defective cars from our highways overnight as it will be to rebuild all highways overnight to conform to the most advanced safety standards. It is up to the driver in 1946 to overcome the defect in his car and in the highway, in addition to reducing the number of accidents attributed to the driver himself.

While enjoying the beautiful Texas landscapes adjacent to our highways, may each driver keep alert for those yellow signs which warn him of danger. May he stay on the right side of the center stripe and never attempt to pass another vehicle when the dashed line is on his side.

Safety is one of the battles of peace. It will be fought by every person who gets under a steering wheel. His weapons are caution and never-ending practice of a few simple safe driving rules. How well he uses these weapons will determine which is the more fatal—the battles of war or the battles of peace.

WILL THEY ROB YOU OF $145?



One hundred and forty-five dollars is lots of money to lose—but that's the average yearly loss per cotton grower from cotton insects. Some years, many farmers lose far more than this $145.

Protect yourself against robbery this season by acting promptly and effectively to prevent damage at the first sign of cotton insects. Work with the County Agent and your neighbors to save this year's crop.

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CHENILLE BEDSPREADS—New shipment in all colors; size 83x104—price each..... $11.95

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LADIES' LEATHER BRETS—Fancy trimmed, sizes 24 to 32—priced at each..... $4.95

CHILDREN'S BAREFOOT SANDALS—Natural color; sizes 9 to 12—per pair..... $2.15

MISSES' SANDALS—Red, white and biege; sizes 12 to 3—per pair..... $2.29

CHILDREN'S PANTIES—Tea rose cotton pantnes in sizes 8 to 12—per pair..... 35c

LADIES' GOWNS—White batiste lace trimmed gowns—priced at each..... $2.69

LADIES' RAYON JERSEY GOWNS in stripes and figures—each..... $4.95

EN'S RAYON SLACK SUITS—In tan combination and blue combination; all sizes—each..... $8.95

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

RATES—The following rates for political announcements in The Hamlin Herald will apply:

District Offices.....$25.00
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City Offices.....$10.00

The Herald is authorized to announce the following condidates for office in Jones County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on Saturday, July 27, 1946:

For Congress, 17th District:
WILLIAM W. BLANTON
ROBERT B. HERRING
OMAR BURLESON
R. M. (BOB) WAGSTAFF
"GIB" SANDEFER

For Clerk of District Court:
LEON THURMAN

For County Judge:
JOEL V GRIMES
ROGER Q. GARRETT JR.
W. H. EYSSEN, JR.

For Sheriff of Jones County:
BILL DUNWODY
MOSE M. JONES

For County Treasurer:
BILL ARMSTRONG
GENE SPURGIN JR.

For County Clerk:
MRS. OMA SPRABERRY
H. O. ROWLAND JR.

For County Tax Assessor-Collector:
WEAVER BAUCUM
ELZY BENNETT
W. K. HORN

For County School Superintendent:
B. T. BEAVER

For County Attorney:
GEORGE P. HUDSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
G. R. RIDDLE

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office in Fisher County, subject to action of the Democratic primary election on July 27, 1946:

For Sheriff
LEONARD G. BARNES

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
W. H. (HOSS) BARTON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
E. C. WALDROP
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with MORGAN CONWAY and ANNE JEFFREYS

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Latest News Reel
Wednesday and Thursday

GIB SANDEFER PRESENTS PLATFORM FOR RACE FOR PLACE OF RUSSELL IN CONGRESS

Gib Sandefer, rancher, lecturer and former business manager of athletics of Hardin-Simmons University, and for years manager of that institution's world famous Cowboy Band, has announced his candidacy for Congress from the 17th District, and is planning an intensive campaign throughout the district prior to the Democratic primaries July 27.

Sandefer, known throughout the world as "that fellowship man of Texas," doesn't make any claims of being a great statesman, nor does he have any designs for reforming Congress or the world.

"My friends have been after me for several months to make this campaign," Sandefer said in announcing his formal entry into the campaign for Congressman Sam Russell's seat in the House of Representatives of the nation's Congress.

"I think I know the people of West Texas, and if elected to Congress I will go there as their representative and will work for their best interests, and will work, first and last, for the welfare of the district I represent.

"Like my good friend, the late Will Rogers, once said, I have never met a man I didn't like, and I don't expect to meet one I don't like during the forthcoming campaign. Regardless of what the verdict may be on July 27, I'm looking forward to having a little fellowship with the voters of this district during the next few months," Sandefer added.

"And if the voters of this district think I can best represent them in Congress, I'll go up there and have a little fellowship with the boys in Washington; tell them about the needs and problems of the people of my district; and of the possibilities for future growth and development of this great section of our state.

Sandefer, a son of the late Dr. Jefferson Davis Sandefer, president of Hardin-Simmons University for 31 years, and of Mrs. Sandefer, virtually grew up on the campus of the institution his father headed for almost one-third of a century. Following graduation in 1927, Gib remained to assist his father in the development of the institution into one of the leading schools of West Texas.

In the years that followed Gib was business manager of the school's athletic program and as such was able to bring nation-wide recogniiton to Hardin-Simmons University. He also was manager of the colorful Cowboy Band, and it was due to his genius in making the right "contacts" that the band toured 12 foreign countries on three continents, travelling some 500,000 miles spreading the tradition of the Texas cowboy in music and spirit.

During World War II Gib served as representative of the American Red Cross in far-flung combat areas of the global conflict. He spread his "fellowship" tent in Africa, Italy and in the China-Burma-India theater. In a personal conquest of Burma, Gib took his "fellowship" right to the end of the Ledo Road and learned that war at its worst or best is hell on earth. It was while serving with American and Allied troops in the muck and mire of the Burma campaign that Gib became even more convinced that only through world fellowship and a more thorough understanding of the other man's problems and way of life can the future peace of the world be assured.

After returning to this country, following overseas service, Gib made a 42-state tour for the War Advertising Council in behalf of the American Red Cross. In recent months he has continued to further his world wide fellowship and educational ideas as a speaker for the National Dinner Clubs and the Associated Club Network, of which the Knife and Fork Club is a part.

Speaking of the forthcoming campaign, Gib says, "It's going to be a pleasure to do business with the voters of the 17th District and I am looking forward to having a little fellowship with the people encompassed in these 12 counties."

Sandefer presents a concise yet comprehensive platform for the consideration of the people of the 17th District. It follows:

For GI Joe and his sister Jane—The help and encouragement of a grateful country in every way that can be accomplished. For the war's disabled: All they need at whatever cost.

For the farmer and stockman—A legislative program geared to their needs, responsive to their wishes and guided by their advice and consent, administered as far as possible by the farmers and stockmen themselves through boards representing their local or regional interests.

For the small business man—Recognition as the mainstay of the American system, assistance and encouragement whenever he needs it, protection against the powerful forces that would destroy his existence, and a minimum of governmental interference in the conduct of his business.

For national defense—An adequate and alert military establishment, backed by continuing research and experimentation, officered and manned by professional soldiers paid a decent wage, given an equal break in privileges, and made to feel that their career is as honorable as it is ancient.

Foreign affairs—The principle of the golden rule extended to all nations, all-out cooperation with peace loving peoples who desire only the rights of mankind and the enjoyment of peace and plenty.

Labor—Maintenance of the principles of collective bargaining, with a sharing of responsibility by labor, industry and government; the promotion of live-and-let-live attitude between capital and labor, with the rights of the public to be recognized and protected.

Oil—Continuance of the practice of conservation through cooperation of state and federal government, and the protection of the interests of the producer, land owner and consumer—which in the long run are identical.

Private enterprise—Government's chief concern should be to serve as umpire, to protect the young and the weak against the strong, the honest from the dishonest, and the good from the bad—with as little governmental control and regulation as possible.

ENTERS POLITICS TOO



Endeavoring to follow in the footsteps of his illustrious father, Pat M. Neff Jr. last week announced his candidacy for the office of attorney general. The present president of Baylor University, Pat M. Neff Sr., was governor for two terms.

Did It Nearly All Herself.

Aunt (inspecting jumper)—"And did my little niece knit this all by herself?"

Betty—"Yes, auntie, all except the hole you put your head through, and that was there when I started."

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Now that stainless, powerful, penetrating Moone's Emerald Oil is available at drug stores thousands have found helpful relief from the distressing itching and torture of rashes, eczema, poison ivy and other externally caused skin troubles.

Not only does the intense itching, burning or stinging quickly subside, but healing is more quickly promoted.

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To you, our Graduating Friends, the very best! While you have graduated from Hamlin High School, and other schools of the region, bear in mind that you have not graduated from our friendship.

We feel sure that both of us have gained much in the exchange of friendship during the past years, and hope that these pleasant relations will be continue for a long time to come.

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SGT. SCARBOROUGH GETS ARMY AWARD FOR KOREA SERVICE

First Sergeant John E. Scarborough, husband of Mrs. John E. Scarborough of Route 1, Hamlin, was recently awarded the Army Commendation Ribbon for "meritorious service from October 15, 1945, to April 10, 1946, in Southern Korea," by Major General C. E. Hurdis, commander of the Sixth Infantry Division.

At the beginning of this period Sergeant Scarborough was a platoon leader of a separate platoon stationed at Kohung, Korea. He performed his duties, normally those of a commissioned officer, in an outstanding manner, according to word from the public relations department of Scarborough's unit. He displayed unusual tact and resourcefulness in dealing with the civil population of the town, who were in a restless state. Later as first sergeant of his company, he executed his duties in a superior manner. Not only did he greatly enhance his company's efficiency, but he contributed greatly to the comfort and well-being of his men. Sergeant Scarborough's leadership, resourcefulness and devotion to duty were outstanding to reflect great credit upon himself and upon the military service, the release to The Herald concludes.

Scarborough is a member of Company F, 20th Infantry Regiment.

YOUTH CENTER

(concluded from front page)

Refreshments will be served every night the center is open, sponsors declare.

Officials for the center have been named as follows: John H. Osteen, director; Mrs. Loleta Treadwell, co-director; Youth Council: Joe Frank Beavers, Jo Hargrove, Jessie Myers, Mozelle Barnett, Ray Myers and Larry McCoy.

Committees have been appointed as follows:

Games—John Lee Barnett, Lavena Kite, Beverly Ann Harvey and Cecil Sellers.

Publicity—Bettye Sellers, Jo Hargrove, Mozelle Barnett and Patsy Brasher. Jo Hargrove will be reporter.

Decoration — Margaret Ryan, Ida Frances Robertson, Jack Herd and Mickey Scott.

Refreshments — Loleta Treadwell, Maudie Beene, Vernon Sharer and Joe Clements.

Sponsors, who will help in various ways at the center, including arranging for refreshments, are: Mrs. Vernon Stewart, Mrs. Charlie Sellers, Mrs. Otis Smedley, Mrs. W. C. Hargrove, Mrs. H. E. Black, Mrs. Seth Adams, Mrs. John Barnett, Mrs. R. L. Kite, Mrs. O. G. Harvey, Mrs. Garland Coltharp, Mrs. R. M. Myers, Mrs. J. L. Blanton, Mrs. C. French, Mrs. E. Brewer and Mrs. C. Durham.

Other sponsors are needed for the maintained program, and any mothers who are interested in assisting with the program are urged by Osteen to contact him.

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Brookie Pitcock Flies to Bedside of Sick Mother

Private Brookie L. Pitcock arrived at Hamlin last Thursday by plane from his Army camp at Aberdeen Maryland, to be at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. J. S. Pitcock, who was seriously ill. The mother was greatly improved this week.

Brookie, who previously had served 15 months in the Army and was discharged last fall, was recalled into the service in January. He is stationed at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds,

After a few more days' stay with his parents and other relatives, Privite Pitcock will return next week to his base.

Office supplies at The HERALD.

Cooperative Orders for Pineapple Are Delayed

Cooperative order of pineapple sponsored by the marketing committee of the Jones County Home Demonstration Council will not be delivered until about May 29 or 30, according to Mrs. H. F. Brigham marketing chairman.

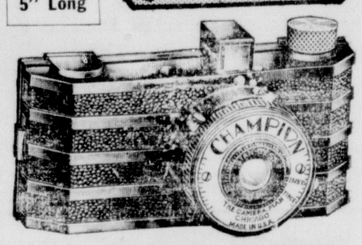
Because of the delay of the importer in furnishing the pineapple, additional group orders may be sent in, or additions may be made to the present groups until May 22, or until 400 dozen are listed.

Orders should be sent to Mrs. H. F. Brigham, Route 3, Stamford. No money is to be collected with the temporary order, but will be collected at a later date when group leaders will be notified.

When a woman says she won't be a minute she is usually right.

The wife has been working in the Red Cross drive for funds ever since they learned how easy it was for her to shake us down for money.

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Wounded American Soldiers at Normandy, France, June 8, 1944—Army Signal Corp Picture

TO HONOR THE DEAD... LET'S HELP THE LIVING

The increasing importance of veterans' affairs particularly commends the V. F. W. sale of Buddy Poppies this year. In supporting the V. F. W. National Home at Eaton Rapids, Michigan, this poppy sale gives the orphaned children of veterans an opportunity in life equal to that enjoyed by the average American child. These are both splendid purposes which recommend to all the wearing of a Buddy Poppy this year.

—Harry Truman

Never in history have so many given so much in defense of America — and asked so little in return.

To most Americans, World War II ended on VJ-Day. But for nearly 100,000 men confined to government hospitals—and for countless thousands of other disabled veterans whose minds and bodies bear the cruel scars of conflict—World War II will never be over. After 27 years of pain-racked experience and suffering, thousands of disabled AEF veterans of 1917-18 know this as the heart-breaking truth.

In the present difficult period of readjustment, the nation-wide rehabilitation service of the Veterans of Foreign Wars is doing those things for veterans which the government is unable to do in their behalf—those things they cannot do for themselves.

The men who have given their lives — in times of war — to help make America a good country in which to live—in times of peace—sleep restlessly in their honored graves. Their souls will repose in peace only if we who live remain true to their memory; only if we who were untouched by the brutality of war will never let ourselves forget how much we owe to those who did the fighting.

When you wear a Buddy Poppy on Memorial Day, America's disabled and needy veterans will know that your interest in their welfare is practical and sincere. Why is this true? Because every penny of the proceeds of the annual sale of Buddy Poppies is devoted exclusively to veteran welfare and rehabilitation—and to the care and protection of homeless orphans of veterans.

As America's traditional "flower of remembrance," the Buddy Poppy is a symbol of our loyalty to that vast army of war veterans who must face the future with physical and economic handicaps.

Wear a Buddy Poppy on Memorial Day. Be counted among those who believe that practical and sympathetic assistance for the living—rather than imposing monuments—is the finest way to honor the vivid memory of America's hero dead.

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VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

JONES COUNTY CLUB BOYS AND GIRLS TO VIE FOR MANY PRIZES IN 1946 PROJECTS

Jones County 4-H Club boys are beginning new club project years with the closing of school terms, and are looking to sharing in a variety of national, state and county contest awards open to ambitious 4-H Club boys and girls as a means of stimulating good demonstrations on the home and farm and developing rural leadership.

This announcement comes to The Herald from H. C. Stanley Jr., Jones County farm agent.

On a national basis there are five contests for girls only, nine contests for both boys and girl, and three contests for boys only, according to 4-H Club specialists of the A. & M. College Extension Service. In addition, the Santa Fe Railroad has offered seven trips for outstanding 4-H Club girls and 12 for outstanding club boys during 1946.

Five contests open to girls only are the dress revue, clothing achievement, canning achievement, food preparation, and girls' record contests. State winners of each will get trips to the National 4-H Club Congress this fall, and county winners will receive medals.

There are two contests for boys and girls in which the state winner receives a trip to the Congress. They are in poultry work and in better methods of using electricity on the farm.

Bonds will be awarded to state winners in contests on farm safety poultry, gardening, frozen foods and dairy foods work, which are open to both boys and girls. County winners will receive medals.

State winners in home beautification and meat animal contests will receive gold watches, with medals for county winners. Both of these are open also to boys and girls. Contests for boys only include dairy production, field crops and soil conservation. Winners will get trips to the National Club Congress.

Members of 4-H Clubs interested in competing for these awards should consult with County Agent Stanley or County Home Agent Hannah Nabors, The Herald is advised.



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Car Owners Counting Upped Insurance Costs

Hamlin area car owners, as well as those of other sections of Texas, are counting the increased costs of automobile insurances rates that became effective May 1 under an order of the State Board of Insurance Commissioners.

Collision premiums on private passenger automobiles increased approximately 40 per cent because of bad loss experience, rapid upswing of accidents since the lifting of gas rationing, increase in repair and labor costs, and inflated value of used cars.

Fire and theft minimum premiums rose from $5 to $6, and the comprehensive minimum premium from $7.50 to $10 on private passenger and commercial equipment. Theft rate on private car insurance increased 25 per cent, and the fire rate remained unchanged.

The wife said she dreamed the other night that we have her $100. So we said inasmuch as she had been a good wife we'd let her keep it.

Judging from recent reports from Germany some of our army of occupationists will be coming home soon without good conduct ribbons.

An adman told us the other day that he heard one of the Gold Dust Twins say "Lux against us."



You have honored your school and your community, and we consider it a privilege to add our congratulations to the many your are receiving on every hand. There may come a time when you can use our services to good advantage.

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The Facts About Jones County's Proposed Hospital And Health Unit

DOES JONES COUNTY NEED A COUNTY HOSPITAL?

1.—The only hospital we have in Jones County is unable to take care of all those who need hospital care.
2.—Hospitals in Abilene and other neighboring towns are unable to take care of the overflow.
3.—Demand for hospital space will become even greater because of increasing hospital insurance and increased hospital mindedness.
4.—If the other proposed hospital in the county is built, the demand for hospital space would still be greater than could be met.

WHAT WOULD A HOSPITAL COST JONES COUNTY?

1.—If $200,000 bonds are voted, they can be sold for 2 per cent or less.
2.—By election order they must be retired in 25 years.
3.—At 2 per cent the interest on the issue would be $50,000.
4.—The total cost of the issue, interest and principal, would be $250,000. Ask your banker to figure it.

FEDERAL AID FOR JONES COUNTY HOSPITAL

1.—Senate Bill No. 191, which provides Federal funds to help build county hospitals, is pending in Congress now.
2.—The election order is not a mandate on your Commissioners Court to issue $200,000; it is a mandate to issue NOT IN EXCESS of this amount.
3.—If Senate Bill No. 191 is passed, your Commissioners Court will not issue more bonds than are needed, only that part which, combined with Federal aid, will build and equip your proposed hospital.

WHAT WOULD A COUNTY HOSPITAL COST THE PROPERTY OWNER?

1.—The cost to property owner would not exceed eight cents on the $100 assessed valuation—80 cents on the $1,000.
2.—The County's assessed valuation is now $15,000,000.
3.—An eight-cent levy would yield $12,000 per year—more than enough to take care of principal and interest. Ask your local banker to figure it.

COST TO PATIENTS IN COUNTY HOSPITAL

1.—Your proposed county hospital would not be a charity institution.
2.—Patients unable to pay would be hospitalized in your county hospital. The county now must look after charity cases in other hospitals at a greater cost than a county hospital would require.
3.—Your proposed county hospital would be a non-profit institution, and as such would afford rates as low as operating costs would permit.
4.—Dr. Warren P. Morrill, Director of Research for American Hospital Association, states in MEDICAL ECONOMICS that institutions such as your hospital can and do operate cheaper than privately owned institutions, and as a result can offer better rates.

SUCCESS OF NEIGHBORING COUNTY HOSPITALS

1.—Haskell County Hospital has been self-supporting since its opening in 1939.
2.—Haskell County is well pleased with its hospital; their only objection is that it is not large enough to care for their needs.
3.—Rates have been less or comparable to rates of neighbor hospitals.
4.—Write or ask for information about Haskell County's hospital to verify for yourself the statements above.
5.—Callahan County has a hospital such as yours would be; inquire about its success.

LOCATION OF YOUR COUNTY HOSPITAL

1.—Objections have been raised to the location of your proposed hospital. Why?
2.—Any institution serving all the people of the county should be centrally located. This you said when you located your county seat, your courthouse and your county jail.
3.—Should you elect to have a county hospital, it would not be Anson's hospital any more than the courthouse is Anson's courthouse. It would be your hospital, located centrally for the benefit of all of Jones County.

HOW YOUR PROPOSED HOSPITAL WOULD BE ADMINISTERED

1.—Your hospital would be administered by a board of six managers, representing the different sections of the county and appointed by your Commissioners Court.
2.—Your Board of Managers would elect a superintendent whose qualifications are prescribed by law.

YOUR HOSPITAL WOULD BE AN OPEN STAFF HOSPITAL

1.—Your hospital would be open to any licensed medical doctor.
2.—No doctor would office in the hospital, unless it would be your director of a County Health Unit, in event you choose to have such a unit. This director, even though by law would be a licensed physician, would not be in competition with other doctors as his time would be devoted to preventive activities rather than curative.
3.—No doctor would be granted privileges not afforded to every other doctor.

WOULD YOU HAVE A COUNTY HEALTH UNIT?

1.—A County Health Unit would be optional.
2.—Construction plans provide facilities for such a unit.
3.—Trends throughout the nation indicate increased pressure for health units.

THE WORK OF A COUNTY HEALTH UNIT

1.—Vital statistics analysis.
2.—Communicable disease control:
A.—Acute. B.—Chronic:
1.—Tuberculosis
2.—Venereal Diseases.
3.—Maternal hygiene.
4.—Infant hygiene.
5.—Pre-school hygiene.
6.—School hygiene.
7.—Special studies.
8.—Sanitation.
9.—Public health education.

The facts you have read above have been assimilated with the intent of giving information to the citizens of Jones County in order that we may better be able to decide how to vote on June 1. Unfortunately, some have tried to cloud the issue by exaggerating the cost, making accusations that Anson wants the county to build her a hospital, and other such prejudicing statements. Apparently these same people have not tried to get a true picture of the need for hospitalization, the costs, how well county hospitals have fared in other counties, and the benefits all the people of Jones County would receive.

You are earnestly invited to investigate for yourself any statement that has been made in this effort to furnish you information. No attempt has been made to influence you either way. You are able to decide for yourself this issue.

CAST YOUR VOTE JUNE 1

This Ad Sponsored by Anson Lions Club

COTTON SURPLUS FAST VANISHING AS OUTLOOK IMPROVES

Fear of a cotton surplus, which has so long haunted cotton raisers of the Hamlin region and other Cotton Belt farmers, is vanishing as the so-called surplus rapidly disappears, with many better grades of lint already scarce, according to A. L. Ward, educational director of the National Cottonseed Products Association.

"Combined with the highest prices in two decades, the American cotton supply situation offers farmers in 1946 the strongest encouragement for increased production that they have had in many years," he pointed out.

"Farmers, who recall the way in which so-called surpluses of corn, wheat and other crops became shortages, can easily foresee the possibility that cotton supplies may soon be insufficient to meet the demand.

"Cottonseed products, especially oil and feed products, are critically scarce and have been for a number of years; and the need is acute for increased production to meet American and foreign requirements for meats and fats."

Ward stated that value per acre of cotton was far above the average for other crops in most cotton states last season, when yields were very low and prices less favorable than today; and that, on the average, cotton is both the most dependable and valuable crop that most farmers can grow.

From the standpoint of both income and the need for its products, the outlook for cotton is very favorable this season where farmers make it the keystone of a balanced farming and livestock program, and follow practices that will increase yields and lower production costs, he added.

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COTTON CHAMBRAY



Pat McGehee, daughter of Representative and Mrs. Dan McGehee of Mississippi, models this cotton chambray at the congressional fashion show held in Washington in honor of the 1946 Maid of Cotton. A Dorris Varnum original, the lavender chambray is one of the hits of the new season. The black embroidery, just below the waistline, hints of the hip fullness that grandmother achieved with hoops and starched petticoats.

Several Legionnaires to Attend District Confab

At least six or eight delegates from the Keefer-Patterson Post of the American Legion at Hamlin are planning to attend the District 17 convention of the American Legion when it convenes June 22 and 23 at Mineral Wesls, Joe Culbertson, post commander, stated Wednesday.

Dates for the last convention of the district before the state convention were made a week later than previously announced, Culbertson declared.

Hanging Around in the Way.

An old bachelor lived alone for years. Finally he took a bride, but after a few months she left him. The O. B. took it philosophically.

"Anyhow," he consoled himself, "she was always getting in the way while I was cooking."

Nature provides a compensation for the early decline of our physical forces by increasing our mental abilities with the advancing years.

Osteen Returns From Big Baptist Convention

Rev. John H. Osteen, pastor of the Hamlin First Baptist Church, returned Wednesday by plane from Miami, Florida, where he had been attending annual sessions of the Southern Baptist Convention. He had left the preceding Friday week. Trip both ways was made by plane.

Supplying in the pulpit during the new pastor's absence was Rev. William Weeks of Abilene. A native of England, and former missionary to South American countries, Rev. Weeks was given good hearings at both services Sunday week and at the only service in the church Sunday morning.

The Come-Back Wasn't Shown.

It was a tense scene in the film. The British audience sat enthralled. Suddenly the hero slapped the heroine the fac.

In the stunned silence which followed a little voice piped up.

"Mammy," it said, "why doesn't sh slosh him back like you do?"

WEATHER REVOLTS

Again, the weather in West Texas failed to run true to set rules or adages. It didn't rain Sunday.

There is a saying that if rain falls on Easter Sunday, rain will fall on each of the seven following Sundays.

Well, rain fell in Hamlin on Easter Sunday this year, and the four following Sundays experienced rainfall. Other West Texas sections reported rain, but not so in Hamlin.

Commie Crow Here on Furlough with Parents

Commie Alfred Crow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Judge L. Crow o fHamlin, is home on a furlough from Custer Hospital at Battle Creek, Michigan.

Alfred expects to receive a discharge soon from the hospitals, after having spent 14 months already in them due to leg wounds sustained in fight in Germany.

Man Is Wrong Anyway.

If a man runs after money, he's money-mad; if he keeps it, he's a capitalist; if he spends it, he's a playboy; if he doesn't get it, he's a ne'er-do-well; if he doesn't try to get it, he lacks ambition; and if he accumulates it after a lifetime of hard work, people will call him a fool who never got anything out of life.

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GAIN OF 21 SHOWN IN INITIAL COUNT IN SCHOLASTIC CENSUS

Finishing touches are being put to the scholastic rolls for the Hamlin Independent School District, according to Superintendent of Schools I. R. Huchingson.

A net gain of 21 students for the 1946-47 school term has been registered in preliminary counts, but the local school authorities feel that quite a number have been overlooked. They ask that parents who are in doubt whether their children of school age have been enumerated in the current scholastic census to please call the school office within the next few days.

Parents are reminded that every certified student enumerated in the district means a minimum of $30 for per capita apportionment to the school district, besides probably other payments made by the state for assistance in local operations.

Enumeration of white children for the next term totals 575, and colored students total 99, making a total resident scholastic roll of 674. Last year's enumeration totaled 653.

One less white child has been found in the current count, and 22 more colored students than last year, school officials declare.

Total of 674 scholastics, Superintendent Huchingson explains, does not include transfers or other students who have been schooled in the local system. Neither does the count take into consideration the scholastics of districts consolidated recently.

A Woman's Mouth Did It.

Papa Adam and little Abel were strolling near the Garden of Eden when Papa Adam stopped, and pointing to an attractive spot among the trees, said:

"That is where we lived until mama ate us out of house and home."

BOZO BUTTS—THEY DRIVE HIM NUTS

By RUBE GOLDBERG



REG'LAR FELLERS — That Would Take A Flock Of Storks — By Gene Byrnes



Raise $1,667 Famine Fund.

University of Texas students at Austin in an impromptu campus drive to raise funds for famine relief in Europe and Asia last Thursday had contributed $1,667 to the cause. The money will be forwarded to the church committee of relief in New York to purchase food for immediate shipment overseas.

FIGHT ON COTTON PESTS WOULD HELP SEVENTH OF CROP

Because of growing infestation of cotton in this section of the state, Hamlin area cotton raisers are urged to make ample provision early for combatting pests in this crucial year when maximum production is sorely needed for lint and cottonseed products. A concerted drive against the pests is being publicized by the National Cottonseed Products Association. A series of timely advertisements is currently being carried in The Hamlin Herald by the Mid-West Cooperative Oil Mill of Hamlin.

The Texas farmer who expects to make six bales of cotton has to plant seven, statistics compiled recently reveal. The extra bale is for the insects. Over the years one-seventh is the average toll the insects have taken of the Texas farmers' crop. When we total up what this means to Texas as a whole, here are the figures:

Lint	624,537 bales
Seed and home feed	68,200 tons
Meal and cake	101,600 tons
Cottonseed oil	35,400 tons
Cottonseed hulls	57,100 tons
Linters	58,800 bales

Surplus Available for Vets.

Farm and construction machinery with total valuation of $12,000,000, and offered to certified veterans only, tops a surplus sales list as announced by the War Assets Administration.

Precaution Comes First.

"Is this the fire station?"

"Yes."

"I have had a new rock garden built, and I've put in some new plants, but—"

"Where's the fire?"

"Some of these new plants are very expensive, and—"

"Look here, what you want is the flower shop."

"No, I don't. I was coming to that in a minute. You see, my neighbor's house is on fire, and they asked me to call you, but I don't want you clumsy firemen stomping all over my garden when you come here."

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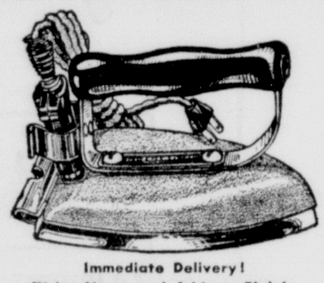
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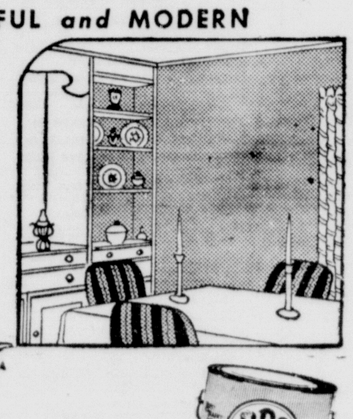
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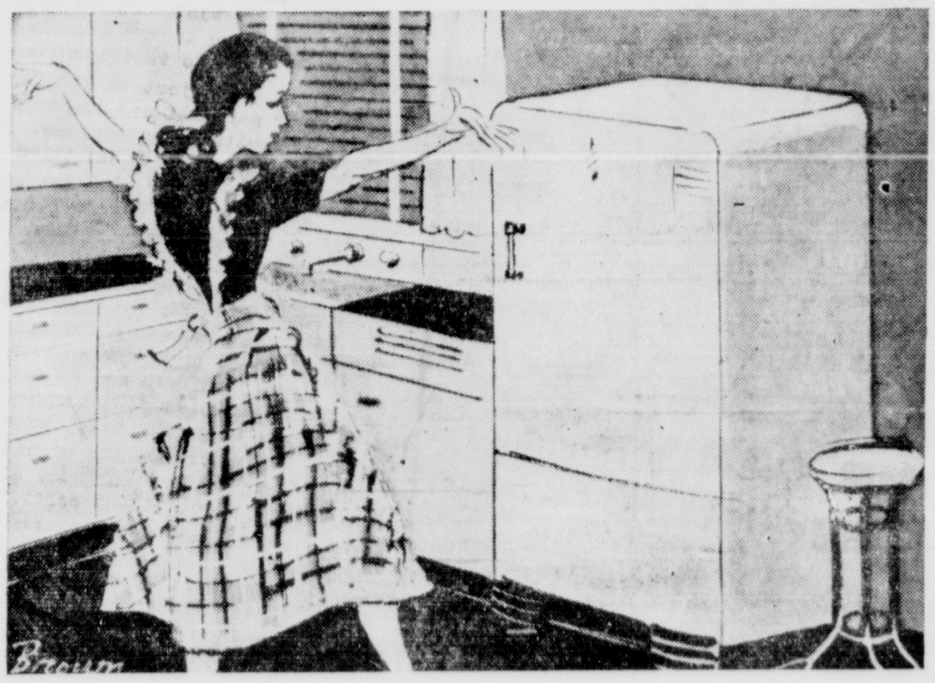


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This is the unique refrigerator that operates without a single moving part in its freezing system. This means it will never need costly repairs and its cost of operation will remain low. It will never make a sound. It is the refrigerator that kept two million families free from refrigerator worries during war.

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LITTLE ALARM FELT IN THIS AREA OVER POLIO EPIDEMICS

Little alarm over the epidemics of poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) raging in some sections of Texas has been reflected in the Hamlin area. However, because one never knows when the dreaded disease may strike, The Herald presents the following release from the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis for consideration by its readers in the interest of public service.

What can we do to prevent infantile paralysis? The anwser is: Practically nothing!

Very little is known about the disease. We know the cause—a virus—but not the cure. We know it is communicable, that many persons may harbor the virus without presenting any clinical symptoms of the disease.

Certain precautions, however, are recommended by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

If polio strikes, the Foundation urges, continue with normal activities. Schools, theaters and other places of congregation can remain open at the discretion of the health authorities, but unnecessary mingling with crowds should be avoided.

Extreme fatigue, sudden and prolonged chilling make the individual an easier victim. Swimming in polluted waters and removal of tonsils during epidemics should be avoided. Flies and other insects should be kept away from food. Sanitation is a "must."

First symptoms of polioymelitis may be some minor discomfort: Headache, unexplained fever, a cold, even an upset stomach. If any of these appear, a physician should be called immediately. Expert medical care may prevent crippling deformities.

Above all, the Foundation adds, don't worry about expense. Foundation chapters are pledged to see that no victim of infantile paralysis goes without care and treatment for lack of funds, regardless of age, race, creed or color.

When a case appears, be sure that the nearest Foundation chapter is notified.

Practice Makes Perfect.

"Your cough is much improved this morning," said the cheerful doctor.

"I'll take the credit," the irate patient replied. "I've been practicing all night."

Wish somone could tell us what we're so doggone mad about when we awake from a good night's sleep.

Some women take after their offspring so much it's a wonder they don't accompany them on the piano.

OFFICIAL COTTON GINNINGS FOR AREA COUNTIES BY DECADES AND YEARS SINCE 1936

County—	1906	1916	1926	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Callahan	17,596	8,223	11,046	4,980	3,995	1,370	2,548	4,163	4,209	4,222	2,920	2,991	1,209
Dickens	1,096	7,337	39,047	9,804	37,325	26,527	11,594	13,053	33,939	22,724	18,049	16,770	13,853
Fisher	15,078	18,881	48,732	21,058	43,629	28,120	18,796	27,982	34,715	25,214	16,832	28,097	20,454
Haskell	10,801	25,289	53,752	20,148	46,806	31,918	19,942	39,582	47,741	48,318	23,587	39,302	30,672
Jones	36,504	34,545	84,088	36,640	67,807	36,967	24,442	54,161	61,149	53,246	28,396	43,869	42,608
Kent	2,405	4,273	18,031	5,768	10,776	8,316	3,805	4,436	11,794	6,618	3,192	3,864	5,106
Nolan	9,807	10,722	25,481	16,031	27,179	9,107	10,208	13,848	20,990	13,828	12,782	15,986	12,840
Scurry	14,421	13,132	40,753	15,186	47,161	27,366	20,575	23,035	40,774	23,838	18,698	33,280	17,054
Stonewall	7,332	8,902	23,937	5,454	15,171	9,118	5,641	7,180	10,273	7,375	3,432	5,877	3,112
Taylor	41,739	26,003	53,897	22,707	32,588	12,069	16,248	23,054	23,663	23,909	16,389	21,039	13,244
Throckmorton	7,264	2,725	8,414	2,759	2,823	1,275	550	3,739	4,615	6,323	3,053	2,073	1,000

Sweetwater to Vote on $260,000 School Bonds

An election on a proposed $260,000 bond issue to repair, renovate, enlarge and buy equipment for Sweetwater's school system was called by the city's school board last week, and the election date was set for Tuesday, May 28.

Little difficulty was expected by proponents of the bond issue in its passage.

For quick results, try the HERALD Classified Ads.

Hard on the Furniture.

The usual gossip was being enjoyed over a back garden fence near London.

"Did you hear about the row at No. 17 last night?" asked the woman at No. 3.

"No, what was it?" asked her neighbor at No. 5 eagerly.

"Well, she broke a chair over her husband's head, but I hear she's very sorry for it now."

"Pity she didn't think before she did it then."

"Yes," signed No. 3. "It was one of her best chairs."

Stamford REA Group Gets Approval on Loan

Stamford Electric Cooperative, Inc. was earmarked for a loan of $200,000 last week-end for extension of facilities of the regional REA system.

The Rural Electrification Administration approved loans totaling $11,600,000 to 47 rural power cooperatives in 24 states to finance electrical power facilities.

An old maid is a girl who misses a lot of things, but never Mrs. herself.

Two Hamlin Men Sell Cattle

Two Hamlin livestock men were among consignors at the livestock auction last Tuesday at Abilene. The market was 50 cents to $1.50 higher on some classes of butcher cattle and steady to strong on stockers. Demand was good. E. M. Halford of Hamlin sold 28 mixed cattle Tuesday, and Ralph Hallum of Hamlin sold 11 mixed cattle.

We've often wondered who the poor fish was who started the superstition that Friday was an unlucky day.

FISHING AT HAMLIN LAKES REPORTED GOOD RECENTLY

Fishing has been good the past several days at Hamlin's three lakes, and there have been plenty of out-of-town visitors to augment the local bevy of fishermen trying their luck.

Last week's record bass catch made by Don Neill of Flat Top has done much to put the fishing bug into nimrods hereabouts. Don landed a bass that weighed nine pounds four ounces—a record for bass caught in Hamlin lakes.

Lake Keeper F. E. Cobble states that a blue catfish weighing 15½ pounds was nabbed last week by a local fisherman, and a drum weighing nine pounds two ounces was landed several days ago. These catches were made from Moore Lake, two miles west of Hamlin.

H. B. Martin Jr. landed an eight-pound bass last week. Other good catches have been reported by Garland Coltharp and Jimmy Simmons, according to Cobble.

A message to VETERANS
OF WORLD WAR II

FACTS ON YOUR RIGHTS IN BUYING SURPLUS PROPERTY

To improve veterans' priorities in the purchase of war surpluses, Congress has amended the Surplus Property Act. So that you as a veteran may have the facts direct, the War Assets Administration is taking this means to address you.

WAR ASSETS ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

May 3, 1946

TO ALL VETERANS OF WORLD WAR II:

As a veteran you are anxious to get all the benefits you can from war surplus. It is our desire to give you every possible preference, under the law, in purchasing the items you want.

By amendment to the Surplus Property Act of 1944, the War Assets Administrator has been authorized to reserve certain items for exclusive sale to you. They are listed below, but in fairness, we must tell you that quantities are not large, the demand is tremendous and you may not always be able to buy exactly what you want. Every veteran, however, will have the satisfaction of knowing that all items placed on the reserve or "set-aside" list are going to veterans like himself.

Subject to availability, you may purchase these items for your personal use, as well as for your business, professional, or agricultural enterprise. You may be sure that only World War II veterans will be entitled to purchase them.

The amended Act contains a second provision that further improves your buying position for your business, professional or agricultural enterprise. For items not included in this list, only Federal agencies buying for their own use may purchase ahead of you. This gives you, for business use, an advantage over State and local governments, tax-supported institutions, certified non-veteran small business enterprises and all other potential buyers except Federal agencies. For a specified period after the Federal agencies have had an opportunity to purchase surplus, all available items which do not appear on the reserve list will be available to you to purchase for your own business.

Under the amended Act you still must be certified to purchase war surplus, as thousands have done since the original Act was passed. The certification procedure has now been simplified, as explained at the right.

The War Assets Administration will make every effort to see to it that you receive the benefits Congress intends you to have. Your patience and cooperation will aid in the difficult task we face in trying to satisfy the needs of every veteran who wants to buy surplus property.

THE ADMINISTRATOR

What is set aside for you

The property listed at right is reserved for exclusive sale to veterans of World War II. These are the items in greatest demand by veterans. Large quantities are not available. You may have to wait some time before purchases can be made. So many veterans may already be ahead of you that you may not be able to make your purchase. But you may be sure that *only* veterans will have the opportunity to buy "set-aside" items.

AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES
Passenger cars (used)
Passenger cars (new)

TRUCKS
Jeeps
All trucks 2½ ton or less

MOTORCYCLES, SCOOTERS TRAILERS
Bomb trucks
All trailers

TRACTORS
D4 & R4 Caterpillar—36-45 DBHP or equal
D7 Caterpillar—61-90 DBHP or equal
D8 Caterpillar—91-140 DBHP or equal
TD9 International—36-45 DBHP or equal
TD14 International—46-60 DBHP or equal
TD6 International—46-60 DBHP or equal

CONSTRUCTION, MINING AND EXCAVATING MACHINERY
Tractor-type Scrapers
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Cranes, Shovels and Draglines

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Land Levelers; Plows

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Major Operating Tables
Operating Lamps
Field X-Ray Units
Diathermy Machines
Dental Units Dental Chairs
Dental Cabinets

TYPEWRITERS

War Assets Administration
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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HOW YOU CAN QUALIFY FOR YOUR PRIORITY

If You Are Already Certified:

Thousands of veterans of World War II have already been certified to purchase surplus items. Such certifications remain valid and may be used to purchase items for which you are certified whether the item is on your reserve or "set-aside" list or on other surplus lists. You will be notified either by mail or by public local announcement where and when to make purchases.

If you are not certified, or if you wish to change your certification to items on the "set-aside" list:

STEP 1. Take your honorable discharge from the armed services of World War II and apply at any of the offices listed below for a veteran's certificate for the item you desire.

STEP 2. Wait for mail or local public notice that the item for which you are certified is available and may be purchased. You may be sure that you *will* be notified and that you do not need to call in person to check the availability of the items you wish. You will be told where and when to buy.

STEP 3. Make sure that you follow up promptly the notice of availability when it reaches you by either mail or public notice.

WAR ASSETS ADMINISTRATION CERTIFYING OFFICES

Albany, New York—112 State St.
Albuquerque, New Mexico—103½ W. Central
Allentown, Pennsylvania—512-514 Hamilton Street
Atlanta 3, Georgia—699 Ponce de Leon Bldg.
Baltimore 2, Maryland—1114 O'Sullivan Bldg.
Birmingham 1, Alabama—Comer Bldg.
Boise, Idaho—Capitol Securities Bldg.
Boston 8, Mass.—1 Court Street
Bridgeport 3, Connecticut—144 Golden Hill Street
Brooklyn, N. Y.—16 Court St.
Buffalo, N. Y.—808 Rand Bldg.
Butte, Mont.—310 Meyer Bldg.
Canton 2, Ohio—717 First National Bank Bldg.
Chicago 6, Illinois—226 W. Jackson Boulevard
Charleston 1, West Virginia—612 Atlas Bldg.
Charlotte 2, North Carolina—400 Charlotte Law Bldg.
Chattanooga, Tennessee—910 James Bldg.
Cincinnati 2, Ohio—38-40 E. Fourth Street
Cleveland 14, Ohio—East Wing Lobby, Union Commerce Bldg
Columbia 56, South Carolina—206 Waters Bldg.
Columbus 15, Ohio—1037 North High Street
Dallas 1, Texas—507 Mercantile Bank Bldg.
Davenport, Iowa—712 Kahl Bldg.
Dayton 2, Ohio—129 S. Ludlow Street
Decatur, Illinois—339 Standard Office Bldg.
Denver 2, Colorado—311 Midland Savings Bldg.
Des Moines 9, Iowa—320 Liberty Bldg.
Detroit 2, Michigan—424 Boulevard Bldg.
Duluth, Minnesota—310 Christie Bldg.
Eau Claire, Wisconsin—128½ Graham Avenue
El Paso, Texas—410 Caples Bldg.
Erie, Pennsylvania—808 Commerce Bldg.
Evansville 9, Indiana—1 Koenig Bldg.
Fargo, North Dakota—207 Walker Bldg.
Fort Wayne 2, Indiana—434 Utility Bldg.
Fort Worth, Texas—Texas & Pacific Bldg.
Grand Rapids 2, Michigan—310 Keeler Bldg.
Green Bay, Wisc.—208 Main St.
Hartford 4, Conn.—119 Ann St.
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania—713 Blackstone Bldg.
Houston 2, Texas—1006 Electric Bldg.
Indianapolis 4, Indiana—1027 Circle Tower Bldg.
Jackson 1, Mississippi—1101 Tower Bldg.
Jacksonville 1, Florida—314 W. Monroe Street
Kansas City, Missouri—500 Mutual Bldg.
Knoxville, Tenn.—Fidelity Bankers Trust Bldg.—Rm. 411
Little Rock, Arkansas—312 Pyramid Bldg.
Los Angeles, California—1031 South Broadway
Louisville 2, Kentucky—200 Hoffman Bldg.
Lowell, Mass.—8 Merrimac Street
Madison 3, Wisconsin—119 E. Washington Ave.
Manchester, New Hampshire—813 Elm Street
Memphis 1, Tennessee—1821 Sterick Bldg.
Miami 32, Florida—Congress Bldg.—Room 701
Milwaukee 1, Wisconsin—161 W. Wisconsin Avenue
Minneapolis, Minnesota—720 Hodgson Bldg.
Montpelier, Vt.—84 State St.
Nashville 3, Tennessee—320 Stahlman Bldg.
Newark, New Jersey—20 Washington Place
New Haven 10, Connecticut—152 Temple Street
New Orleans 12, Louisiana—407 Canal Bldg.
New York 1, New York—40 Wall Street
Norfolk 10, Va.—319 Wainwright Bldg. (Sub Office of Richmond)
Oklahoma City 2, Oklahoma—324 Key Bldg.
Omaha, Nebraska—Woodmen of the World Bldg.
Orlando, Florida—201 Palm Arcade Bldg.
Peoria, Illinois—531 Alliance Life Bldg.
Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania—1612 Market Street
Phoenix, Arizona—426 Security Bldg.
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania—Bessemer Bldg.
Portland 3, Maine—142 High St.
Portland, Ore.—815 Bedell Bldg.
Providence 3, Rhode Island—631 Industrial Trust Bldg.
Reading, Pennsylvania—901 Colonial Trust Bldg. (Sub Office of Allentown)
Richmond 19, Virginia—617 E. Franklin Street
Roanoke, Virginia—614 State & City Bank Bldg. (Sub Office of Richmond)
Rochester, New York—725 Commerce Bldg.
Rockford, Illinois—227 N. Wyman Street
Salt Lake City 1, Utah—319 Atlas Bldg.
San Antonio 5, Texas—1904 Transit Tower Bldg.
San Diego, Calif.—Veterans Information Center—Columbia & Eastern Sts. (Sub Office)
San Francisco 3, California—1355 Market Street
Saginaw, Michigan—321 Peoples Bldg. & Loan Bldg. (Sub Office)
Savannah, Georgia—305 Georgia State Savings Association (Sub Office)
Scranton 3, Pennsylvania—418 First National Bank Bldg.
Seattle, Washington—4448 Stuart Bldg.
Sioux Falls, South Dakota—310 Policyholders Bldg.
South Bend 9, Indiana—602 Pythian Bldg.
Spokane, Washington—1023 W. Riverside
Springfield 3, Massachusetts—1200 Main Street
St. Louis, Missouri—915 Paul Brown Bldg.
Syracuse, New York—224 Harrison Street
Tacoma, Washington—1204 A Street (Sub Office)
Tallahassee, Florida—319 E. Gaines Street (Sub Office of Jacksonville)
Tampa 2, Florida—801 Stovall Professional Bldg. (Sub Office of Jacksonville)
Texarkana, Texas—817 Texarkana National Bank Bldg.
Toledo 4, Ohio—201 Paramount Bldg.
Trenton 8, New Jersey—522-523 Broad St. Bank Bldg.
Tulsa 3, Oklahoma—512 Petroleum Bldg.
Utica, New York—407 First National Bank Bldg.
Washington, D. C.—101 Indiana Avenue N. W.—Room 254
Wausau, Wisconsin—First American State Bank Bldg.
Wichita, Kansas—205 York Rite Bldg.
Wilmington 50, Delaware—406 Pennsylvania Bldg.
Worcester 8, Massachusetts—340 Main Street

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New Assistant Pastor At First Baptist Church To Take Charge Soon

Hamlin First Baptist Church added an assistant pastor to the staff of the official family last week during the absence of Rev. John H. Osteen, pastor for two months. The new man already is taking things in charge. He will be on the job probably next week-end, it is announced.

John Hillery II is the new man. He discovered America Saturday afternoon about 1:00 o'clock at the Hendricks Memorial Hospital, Abilene. On arrival the youngster tipped the scales at six pounds six ounces. He is the first-born for the new Baptist pastor and wife.

The father, advised of the newcomer while attending the Southern Baptist Convention at Miami, Florida, took a plane home Monday and arrived on the Abilene scene Monday night.

Mother and son are doing well, the pastor reports, and they are receiving visitors at the Abilene hospital.

There is one advantage to being poor. The poor man has but little the worry about.

JUST HUMANS By GENE CARR



All Baba and the Forty Thieves

LAND OWNERS OF AREA ANSWERING QUIZ FOR SURVEY

Several Hamlin area farmers have received land ownership questionnaires submitted by the United States Department of Agriculture Bureau of Agricultural Economics. About one out of every 10 Texas land owns is scheduled to receive the questionnaires.

This form, the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service has been informed, will be the basis on which up-to-date information as to opportunities on the land will be provided for veterans and for studies on various farm ownership problems.

It will be the first survey on this subject since immediately after World War I, according to Dr. L. P. Rabbard of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station's Division of Farm and Ranch Economics, who is representing Texas A. & M. College on the project.

Hamlin area farmers are advised that individual replies will be held in strict confidence. All land owners who will fill out and return the questionnaire will receive a copy of the final report.

County Agent H. C. Stanley Jr. of Jones County has received information copies of the survey form through the Texas Extension Service, and he may be consulted on points arising in filling out the forms, the bureau explains.

He Was No Politician.

Some very mean man has said: "There are three kinds of women: The beautiful, the intelligent and the majority."



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Whatever your plans may be, may you steer a straight course for your objective. Certain it is that we wish you "bon voyage" and good sailings.

Come over and get acquainted with us if, indeed, we are not already fast friends!

Bluebonnet Cafe
TEDDY RUSSELL, Proprietor

CITY'S BLIND MAN TO TAKE UP TYPING ON NEW MACHINE

Hamlin's blind popcorn vendor is going to take up typing—if efforts to get a tiny Braille typewriter are successful.

Will Andress, who has been blind for 18 years, has never let his handicap get him down—and isn't planning on changing his attitude about everyday living now.

This week Andress received a clipping from a California newspaper describing a recently perfected tiny vest pocket Braille typewriter that is being made available to blind people through a San Diego Lions Club.

He elicited the cooperation of the Hamlin Lions Club, and Wednesday the civic group's secretary put a letter in the mail that, it is hoped, will help secure a machine for Andress.

The Braille writer, which Dr. Alfred E. Banks, its inventor, calls a "fountain pen for the blind," weighs only 18 ounces. It is 7½ inches long, 4½ inches wide and one inch thick. It has six keys and a space bar and punches the raised Braille on a strip of tape three-quarters of an inch wide.

Gadget Wouldn't Work.

Irate Customer (returning tube of kiss-proof lipstick) to saleslady: "I bought this for my daughter, but the boys still kiss her!"

We want to congratulate the boy and girl graduates of 1946! You have youth and trained minds. You will be called upon to use both to build for yourself a better future for yourselves and America.

The future of America, after all, is largely in the hands of youth—the men and women of tomorrow.

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Congratulations, Graduates!

Age forever cries, "It can't be done!" Youth answers with a shout, "We'll do it!"

We know you'll do it. We are banking on you, our hopes and our faith in you being grounded upon the splendid record you have already made at Hamlin High School, and in other schools of this territory.

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COMMERCIAL GRAIN PROCESSORS PUT ON RATIONS AS PART OF FAMINE RELIEF DRIVE

Hamlin area citizens are practicing food conservation practices in many instances around the home in order to help relieve the famine situation of the world, but further measures can be carried out in other homes and at public eating places. Taking out on one's plate just the food he will consume, then eating everything on his plate, it the principal basis of food conservation as far as the individual is concerned.

However, industrialists and business concerns have been given a definite part in the overall program of food conservation. A six-point program for famine relief to be carried out in addition to voluntary conservation efforts has been announced by Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson, according to a report received from the United States Department of Agriculture. "These measures," he said, "are taken after consultation with the governments of Canada and the United Kingdom, in which it was indicated they would work with this nation toward the two common objectives of increasing total relief shipments of grain promptly and giving priority to areas abroad most urgently in need of special aid."

The six measures follow:

1.—Millers are required to reduce their production of flour for domestic consumption to 75 per cent of the quantity distributed in the corresponding months of 1945. In addition to making more wheat available for export, this amendment to War Food Order 144 is designed to bring about more equitable distribution of wheat among millers.

2.—Under the same amendment, food manufacturers are required to limit the use of wheat in the manufacture of products for domestic human consumption to 75 per cent of the quantity used in the corresponding months of 1945.

3.—Effective May 1, millers and food manufacturers were limited to 21 days' inventory of wheat. After that date no miller or food manufacturer may use wheat unless quantities of wheat or flour equivalent in excess of this amount are offered to the Commodity Credit Corporation or export.

4.—The USDA is offering a bonus of 30 cents a bushel on wheat delivered under the certificate plan by May 25. To be eligible for this bonus a prdoucer must select a date for payment between the date of delivery and June 15, 1946.

5.—The USDA will buy 50,000,000 bushels of corn from producers for which they will be paid a bonus of 30 cents a bushel above the market price on the date of delivery for corn sold the CCC.

6.—The USDA is offering to buy an unlimited amount of oatmeal from millers in the U. S. to make available additional food for relief purposes.

Some Do and Some Don't.

"Oh, what a strange looking cow!" exclaimed the sweet young Alpha Phi from Chicago. "But why hasn't she any horns?"

"Well, you see," explained the farmer, "some cows is born without horns and never had any, and others shed theirs, and some we dehorn, and some breeds ain't supposd to have horns at all. There's a lot of reasons why some cows ain't got horns but the reason why that cow ain't got horns is because she ain't a cow—she's a horse!"

Mrs. J. S. Hubbard, 63, Wife of Veteran County Baptist Preacher Dies

Mrs. J. S. Hubbard, old-timer of the Hamlin section, died Thursday evening about 8:00 o'clock in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Noble Duncan, at Abilene, where she had been visiting. She was 63 years old.

Mrs. Hubbard was the wife of the late Rev. J. S. Hubbard, former pastor of the Neinda Baptist Church. Rev. Hubbard died in 1936.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Duncan of Abilene, and Mrs. V. G. Hodges and Mrs. Johnny Wood both of Hamlin; and five sons, Loy Hubbard of Abilene, Cloda Hubbard of Levelland, and Travis, Herschell and Joe Hubbard, all of Hamlin.

Funeral for Mrs. Hubbard was held Friday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock at Neinda Baptist Church. south of Hamlin, under the direction of Rev. A. B. Thornton of Anson and Rev. Burleson, pastor of the church. Barrow Funeral Home of Hamlin was in charge of arrangements, and interment was in the Neinda Cemetery.

Mardell Lynch Leads in Abilene Revival Session

Mardell Lynch, minister of the Hamlin Church of Christ, has been doing the preaching the past week in a series of evangelistic services at the North Park Church of Christ in Abilene.

O. B. Proctor, minister of the Abilene church, reports good size crowds have attended, and that Bro. Lynch has brought some forceful messages.

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To the members of the class of 1946 of Hamlin High School the members of this organization send hearty congratulations and best wishes.

You are graduating int oa world of peace. Unlimited opportunities are ahead of you. That you will make the most of these opportunities we are sure, indeed.

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As you say farewell to your high school days in dear old Hamlin High School, and in the other schools of this trritory, we want to step forward and let you know how very proud we are of the manner in which you have conducted yourselves during those days.

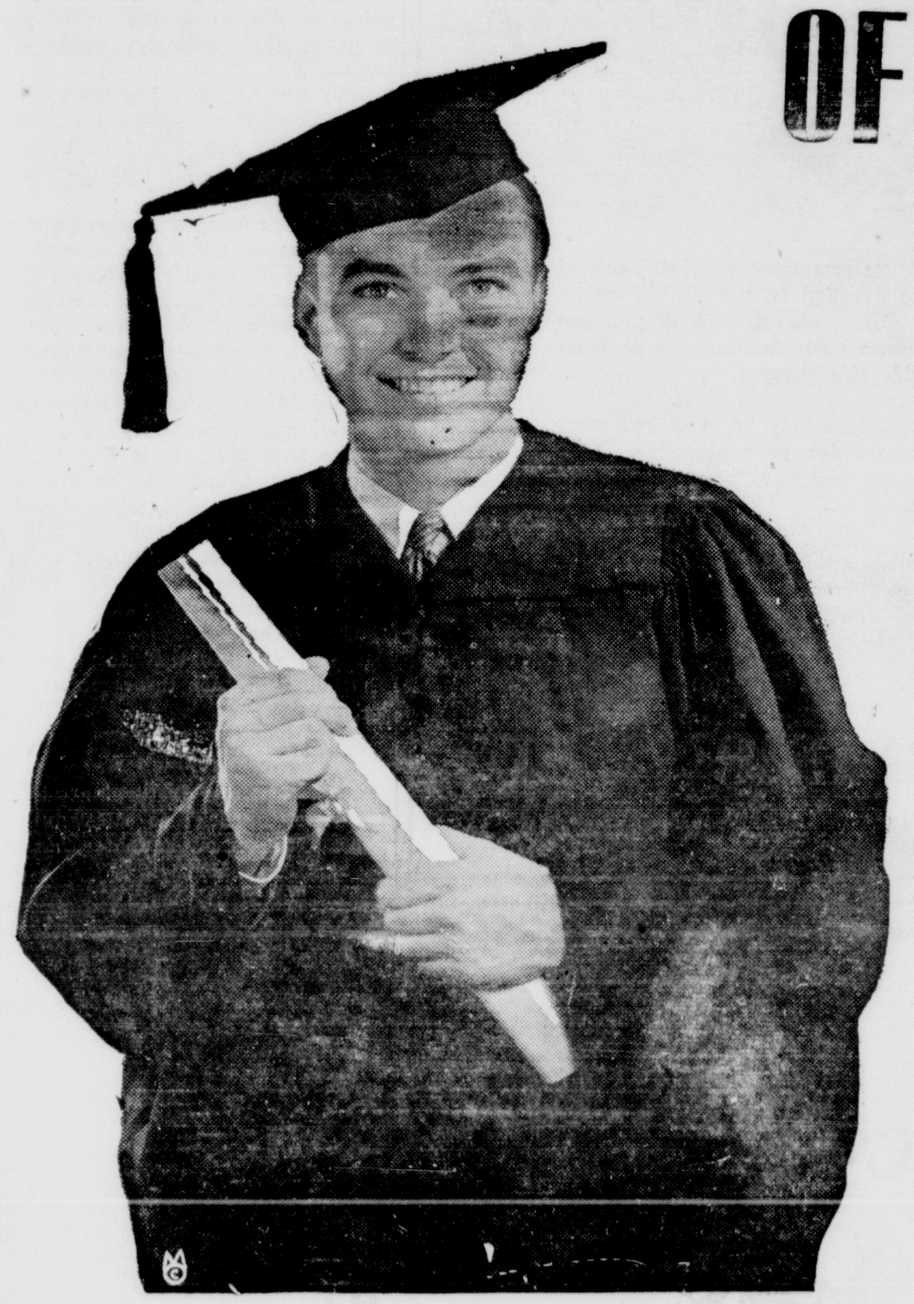
We feel confident that a bright future is in store for each of you, basing our optimism on what you have done in the past.

May we look forward to seeing you from time to time? Remember, you are always welcome at our friendly drug store!

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Congratulations CLASS OF 1946



Report days are over for the Class of 1946 of Hamlin High School and other schools of the area, and we understand the reports have been very good. From all reports your class may take an honored place among all those who have graduated in the long history of area schools.

We congratulate you sincerely upon the record you have made, and hope that the coming years will bring you the rich rewards to which your energy and perseverence entitle you.

Education

No parent can fulfill the obligation to son ov daughter without financing that child through a college education. It is a financial investment that pays dividends.

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